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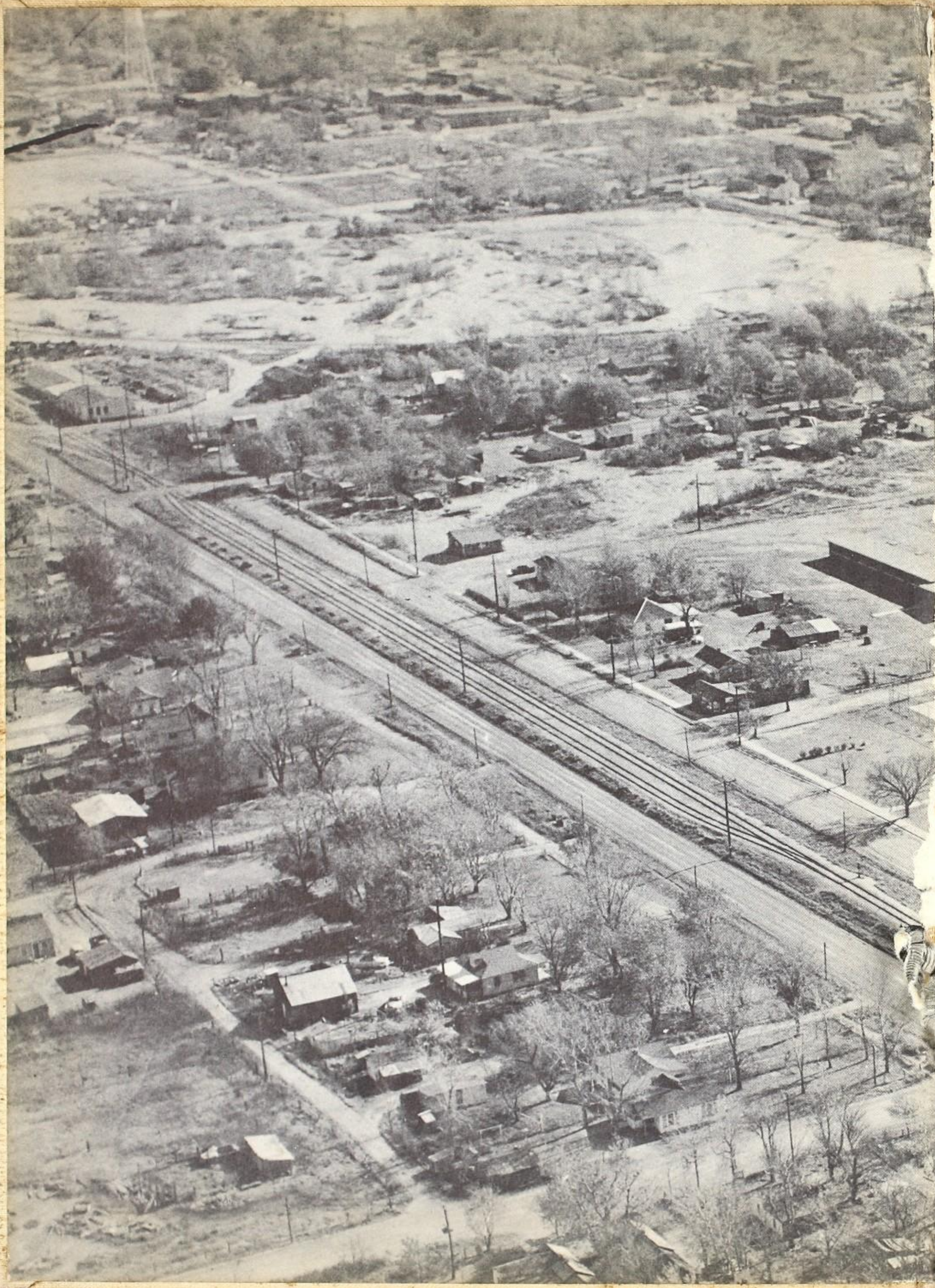

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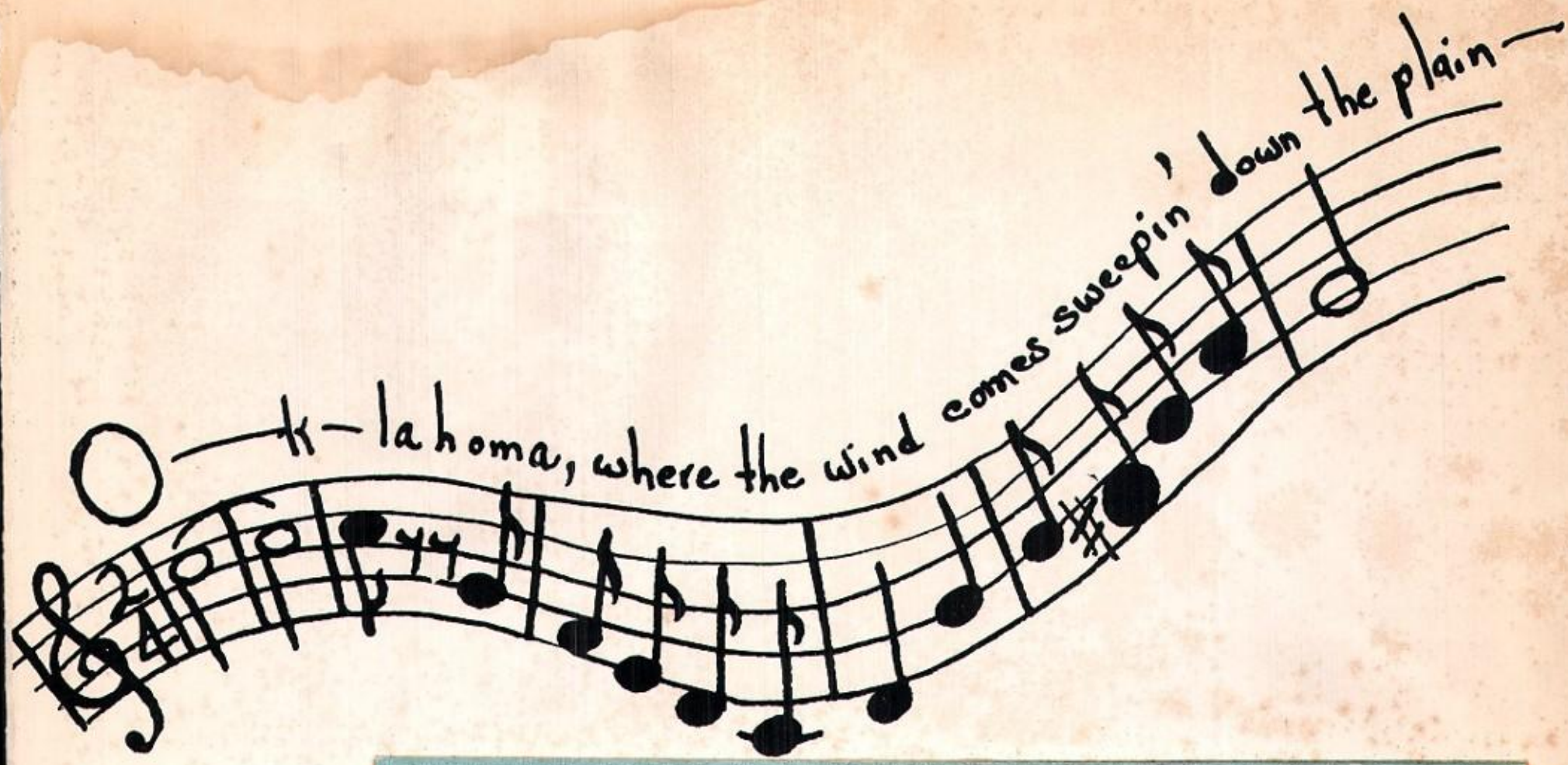
O — k — la homa, where the wind comes sweepin' down the plain —

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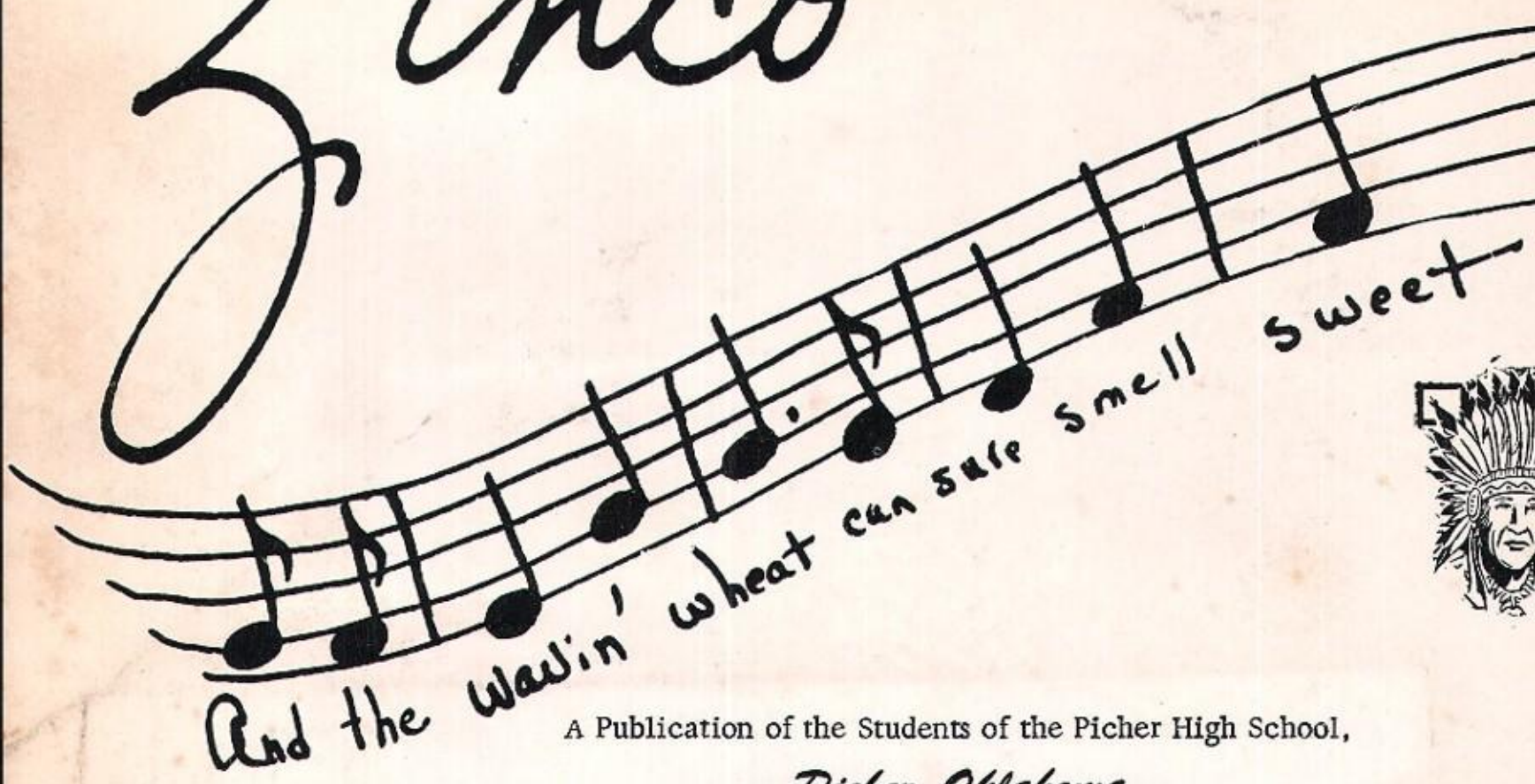

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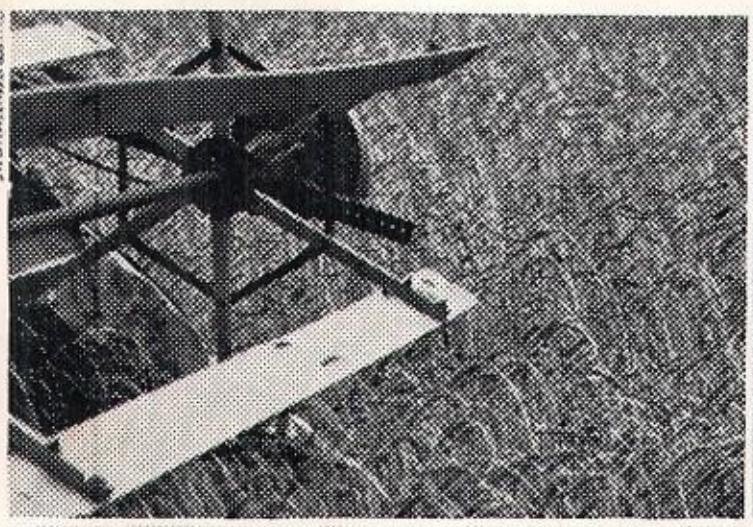
Foreword



Since this is the year of our state's Golden Anniversary, "Oklahoma!" is the theme of our 1957 Zinco. It expresses our pride in the history of this brand new state.

Although we claim many superlatives in contributions to our nation's life, we would point out here only that modern Oklahoma, necessarily superimposed upon her beautiful scene and glamorous past, is the product of her dynamic, wonderful people. That same spirit which moved the Boomers to rush the settlement of Soonerland has pervaded until we are recognized as modern pioneers in many fields of science and culture.

We glory in the fact that Oklahoma's people believe in youth as her richest resource and have provided richly for their education.

We're proud that our state's fiftieth year has come to fruition at this period of our lives--our lives so full of purpose, so full of magic, alive with destiny. . .We are happy to have a part in her celebration and to march with her into the future. We're proud to be Sooners!

Dedication

To Mrs. Cleo Clark Harrell, our commercial instructor who, first as a graduate of the Ada High School in 1930 and a teacher in the Picher Public Schools for nine years, typifies all those spirited and selfless individuals who have helped make Oklahoma great by their devotion through the years to the service of youth.

Her cooperative disposition, her friendliness and her zest are constant sources of encouragement. As students, we are endebted to her for all the character building attributes she has inspired. Because of her we will be better citizens as we march with our state into the future and to her We gratefully dedicate our 1957 Zinco

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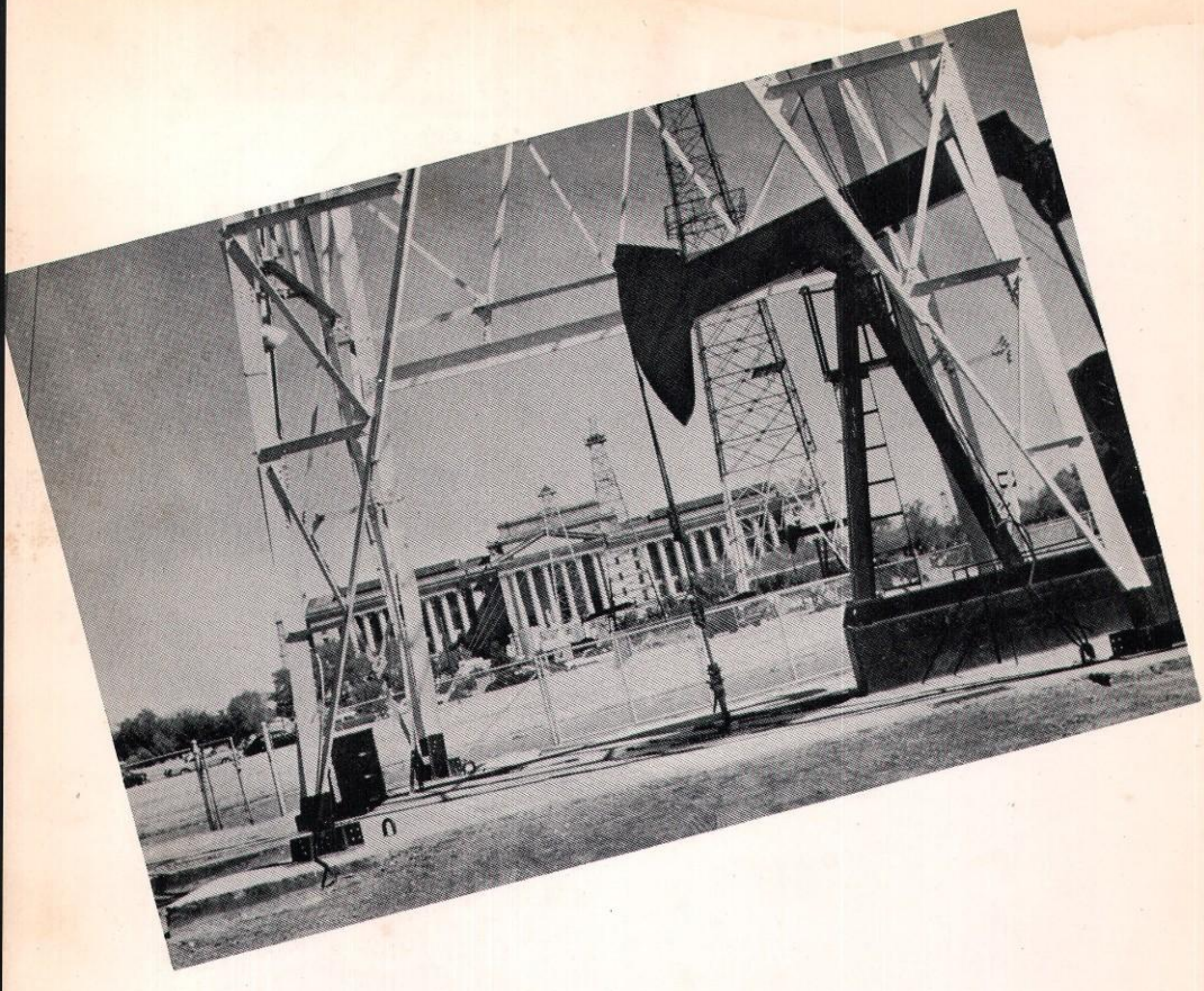


Book One

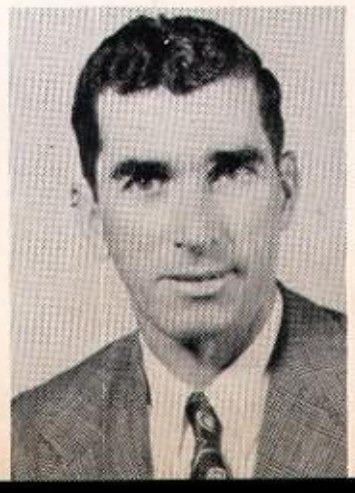
Administration

OUR NEW CENTRALLY LOCATED ELEMENTARY BUILDING

With our state capitol building as a beautiful architectural pattern, constantly improved school plants have helped make the land we belong to grand. A new building to replace the old Whitebird, Mineral Heights, Douthat, Cardin, Northwest and Central schools has long been among the dreams of our Board of Education and it became a reality in 1956. We owe much to Mr. Harrell, our superintendent, for his vision, courage and effort in producing the mountainous detail of work required to enlist federal aid. The community recognized this great service by celebrating Ray Harrell Day on April 27, 1956, with a downtown parade and public ceremony.

Superintendent— Ray E. Harrell

We are grateful to the members of our Board of Education who serve our school district gratuitously and so generously, both in time and effort, that we might have the best education possible. Together with Mr. Ray Harrell, our superintendent, they serve with that same vigor and enthusiasm which is personified by our state motto "Labor Omnia Vincit," which means "Labor conquers all things."



Mr. Eddie Raunikar Principal

Although this is Mr. Eddie Raunikar's first year as our high school principal he has manifested the same patient understanding with all our activities and problems as our teachers and to them each and every one we are indebted. Typical Oklahomans at work, they have given their best to help us develop useful lives that we might not only make our state fun to live in but to work in as well.

HOWARD HUDSON
Debate, Speech, English, 1st yr. at P.H.S.

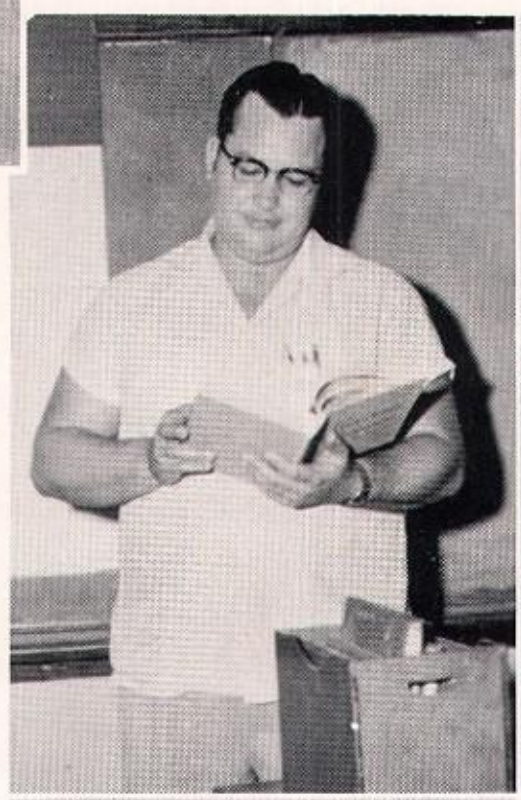
Mrs. B. M. DOUTHITT
English, 12th Grade Sponsor, Pep Club Sponsor, 19 yrs. at P. H.S.

MRS. DIXIE HOUSTON
Secy. to Superintendent

CLARENCE "Doc" HOUSTON
Am. History, Am. Literature, Jr. High Coach 5 years, 10th Grade Sponsor, 5 years at P.H.S.

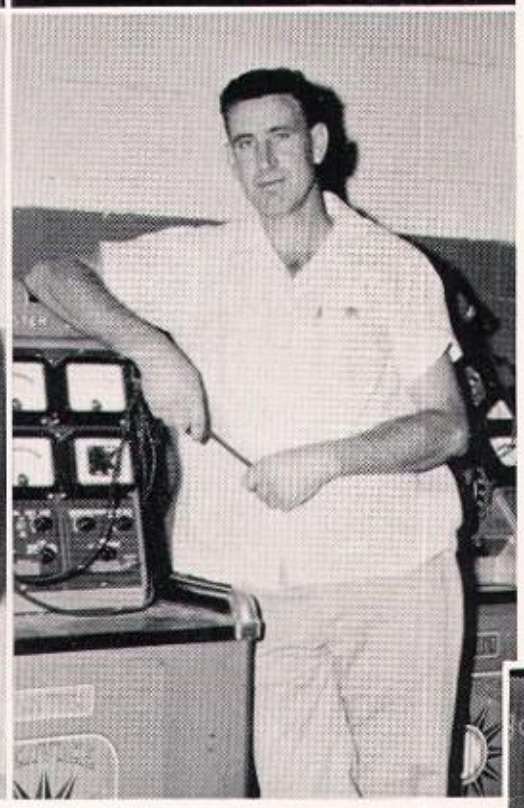
Mr. Don Neighbors
Science, Geography, Chemistry, Textbook Mgr., Jr. Sponsor, 5 Yrs. at P.H.S.

Mr. Larry Puryear
Science, Health, Biology, Sr. Sponsor, 4 Yrs. at P.H.S.



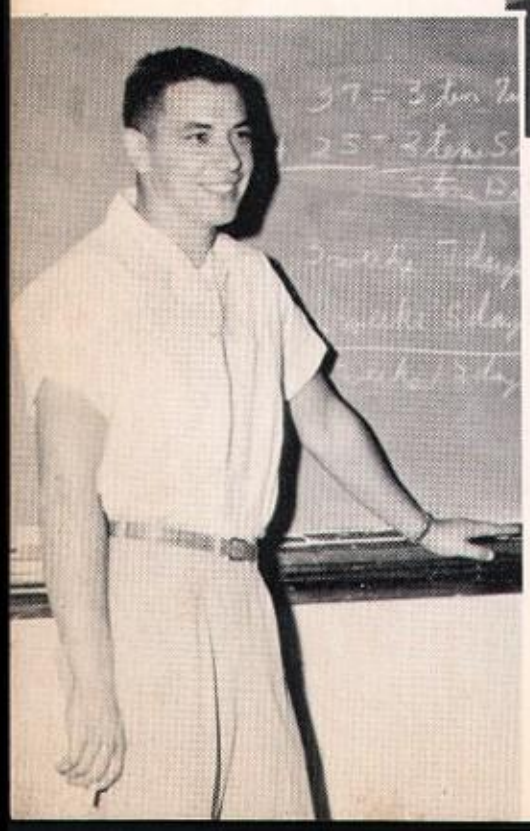
Mr. H. C. McMullin
8th History, Science, 8th Sponsor, 3 Yrs. at P.H.S.

Mrs. Bertha Deal
History, Soph. Sponsor, English, Librariar
10 Yrs. at P.H.S.



Mr. Burel Mullins
T & I Carpentery, 8th Shop, Mechanical Drawing, 8th Sponsor, 5 Yrs. at P.H.S.

Mr. Fred Osborne
T & I Auto Mechanics, Soph. Sponsor, 4 Yrs. at P.H.S.



Mr. Paul Raunikar
Math, Geometry, Jr. Sponsor, 3 Yrs. at P.H.S.

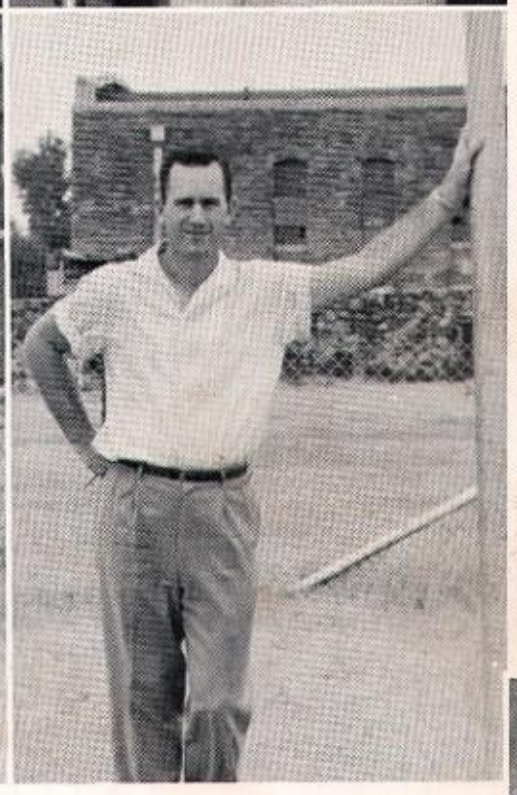
Miss Flora Shryock
Math, Algebra, Fresh. Sponsor, 13 Yrs. at P.H.S.

Mr. Paul Moore
Girls Chorus, Boys Chorus, Mixed Chorus, Bandmaster, 3 Yrs. at P.H.S.

Mrs. Willo McLain
Home Ec., 4-H Sponsor, Jr. Sponsor, 7 Yrs. at P.H.S.

Mr. Eugie Hoos
Typing II, 1st. Yr. at P.H.S.

Mrs. Cleo Harrell
Typing 1, Shorthand, Bookkeeping, Zinco Sponsor, 9 Yrs. at P.H.S.

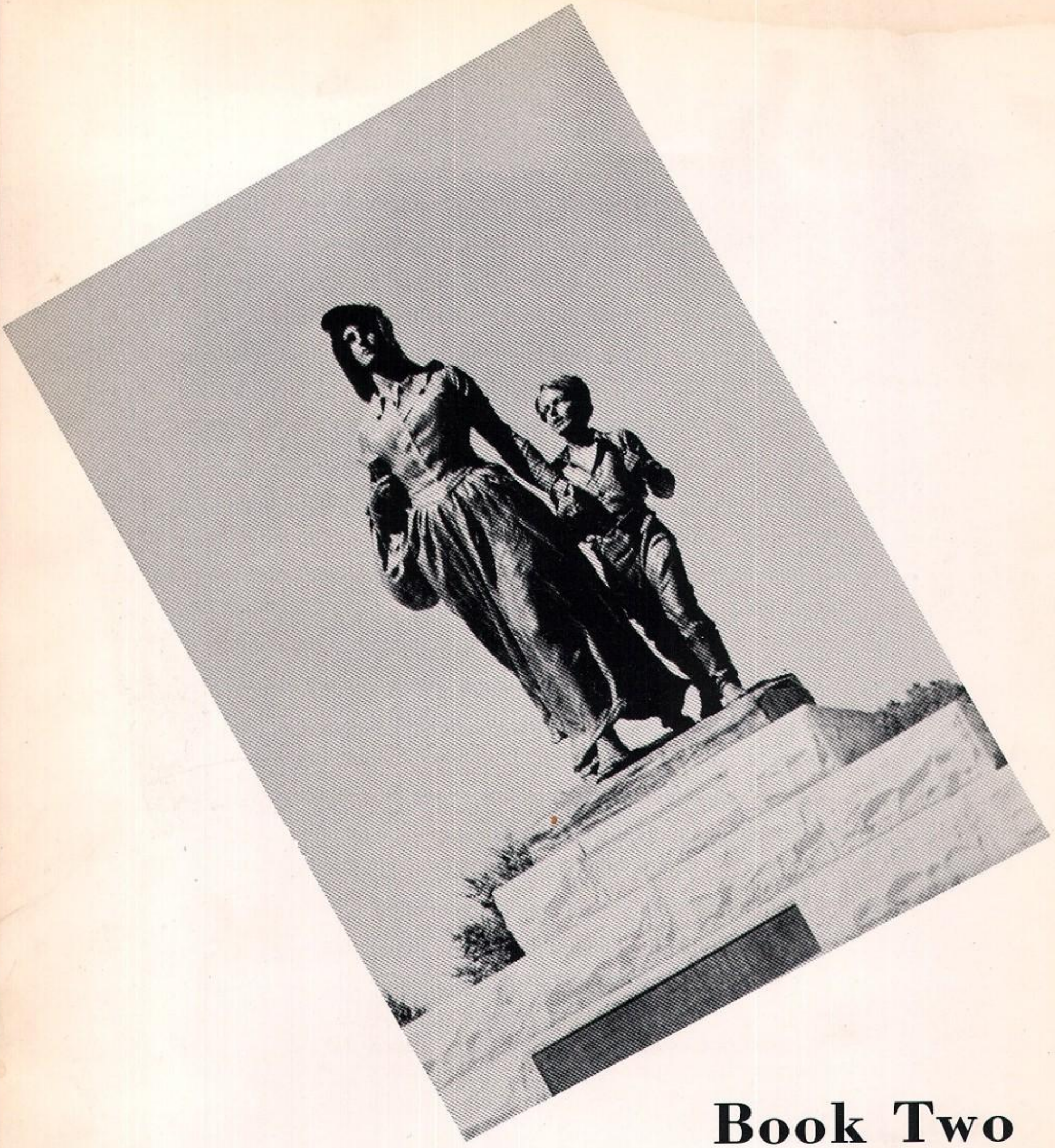


Mr. Howard "Bo" Spoon
Coach, World History, Physiology, 7th Grade Sponsor, 4 Yrs. at P.H.S.

Mr. Bob Thompson
Journalism, 10th English, Assistant Coach, Sr. Sponsor, 4 Yrs. at P.H.S.

Mr. Paul Douthitt
Civics, Drivers Training, Office, Freshman Sponsor, 14 Yrs. at P.H.S.

Mrs. Ruth Hanna
7th, 8th, 10th English, 7th Grade Sponsor, 8 Yrs. at P.H.S., Pep Club Sponsor.



Book Two

Classes

THE OKLAHOMA HISTORY CLASS OBSERVES OKLAHOMA DAY NOVEMBER 16

Those courageous hearts who helped build our state are immortalized in the Pioneer Woman which stands at Ponca City. Created by Sculptor Bryant Baker, the statue was presented to the people in 1930 by the late Gov. E.W. Marland. It portrays the strength of those early settlers whose first concern was for schools. Ever-increasing and expanding educational processes equip us, too, with heart and strength, as well as skill.

Senior officers demonstrate transportation progress, with gratitude to the Miami Aircraft Company.

Seniors—Junior High Students to Citizens

If we could wind a time-machine backward to the year we came to Picher Junior High School, it would picture the good times of those days, the companionship of our classmates, and the splendid feeling of belonging to a wonderful class that we have learned to love and appreciate during the last six years.

The time machine would show us our seventh, eighth, and ninth grades with Jimmy Heatherly, Jerry Powell and Erma Davis as our presidents. In the seventh grade, Londa Carnes ruled as Football Princess. Of course, the highlight was graduation into high school with Jimmy Davis and Jerry Powell salutatorian and valedictorian.

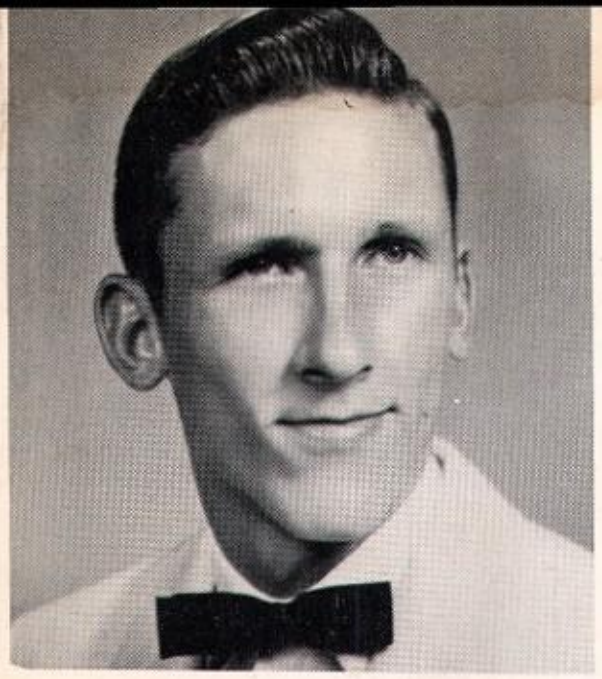
Then we were led by Norma Carr, our sophomore president. We contributed our share of talented people to our school. We are proud of our athletes, our musicians, our speakers.

We'll never forget our junior year, when Dale Smith was our president. For our banquet, we took a wonderful trip to the Mardi Gras.

Not many classes can claim the honor of having Zinco royalty and football queen two years in succession, but we have done just that. During our junior year, Myrna Walker was football queen; and Janie Smothermon and Robert Harper won the honors of Zinco-Queen and King. Then in the senior year, Rayma Smith and Burl Lane sold the most Zincos and became our yearbook king and queen. Linda Carnes, one of our loveliest, reigned as football queen. We elected Robert Harper as president.

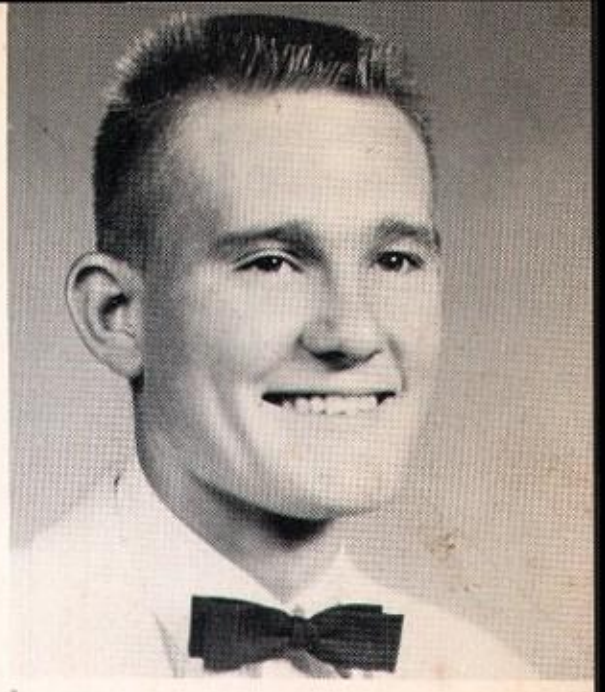
This is the year we have looked forward to for so long and the year we shall remember forever for this is the year that we reach our great goal of graduation.

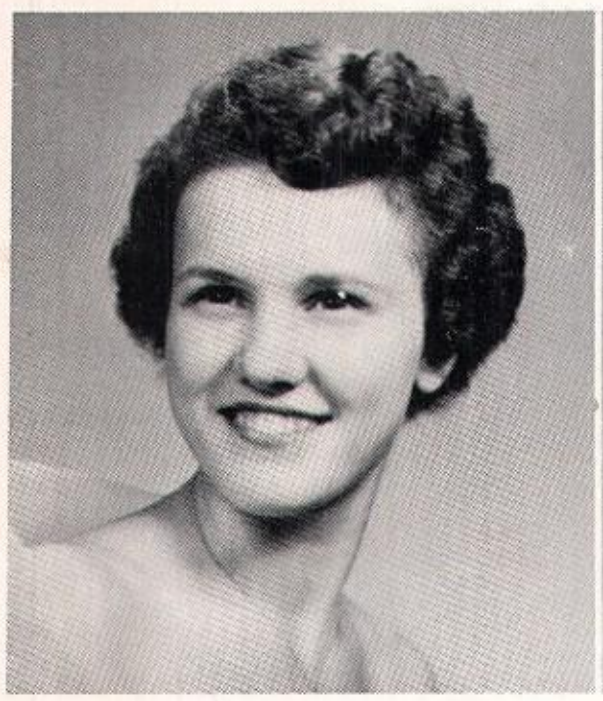
Classes may come and classes may go, but when will there be such another? We shall go into the future with our state trusting that with our high school training we have caught its challenge--that we will make the same kind of dynamic spirited citizens as our forbears.



ROBERT HARPER
Senior Class President
Football 3 yrs., Track 1 yr., T & I Contest, Student Council 1 yr., 4 H 3 yrs., Sophomore Treasurer.

DONALD KEHELEY
Vice President
Football 4 yrs., Basketball 2 yrs., Track 1 yr., T & I Contest, Zinco 2 yrs., Library Staff Sophomore 1 yr., Queen Attendant Escort.



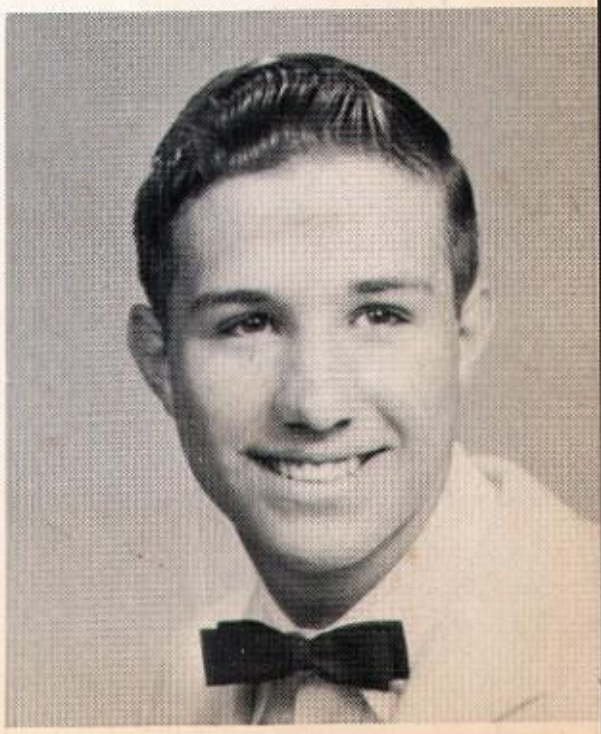


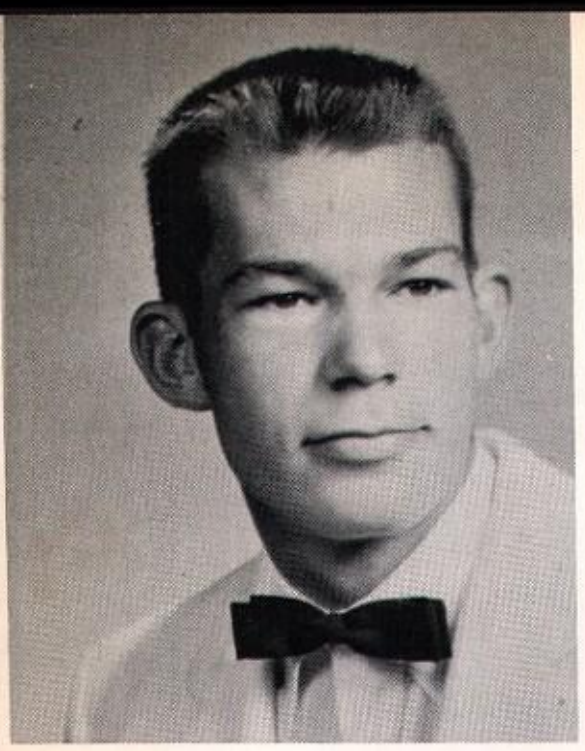
JANE SMOTHERMON
Senior Class Secretary, American Legion Award, Cheerleader, Football Attendant 2 yrs., State Speech Contest, Driver Training Contest, Mixed Chorus 2 yrs., Band 4 yrs., Twirler 2 yrs., Girls State, Office 1 yr., Secretary 9th Grade, Chatpile, Band, Queen Attendant, Zinco Queen.

LINDA CARNES
Class Reporter 9th Grade, Zinco Attendant 9th Grade, Band 2 yrs., Zinco 2 yrs., Cheerleader Junior yr., Pep Club President Sr. year, Mixed Chorus 1 year, Chatpile, Library Junior yr., Drivers Training Contest, Football Queen Senior year.

DALE SMITH
Sr. Student Council Representative
Zinco Contestant 10th Grade, Chatpile, 4 H 2 yrs., Zinco Staff 1 year, Junior Class President, State Honor Society 3 yrs., Typing Award I, Student Council 2 yrs., Library 2 years.

TOMMY HOUSTON
Sr. Class Treasurer
Football 4 yrs., Basketball 2 yrs., Track 1 yr., 4 H 2 yrs., Class Treasurer Junior yr.



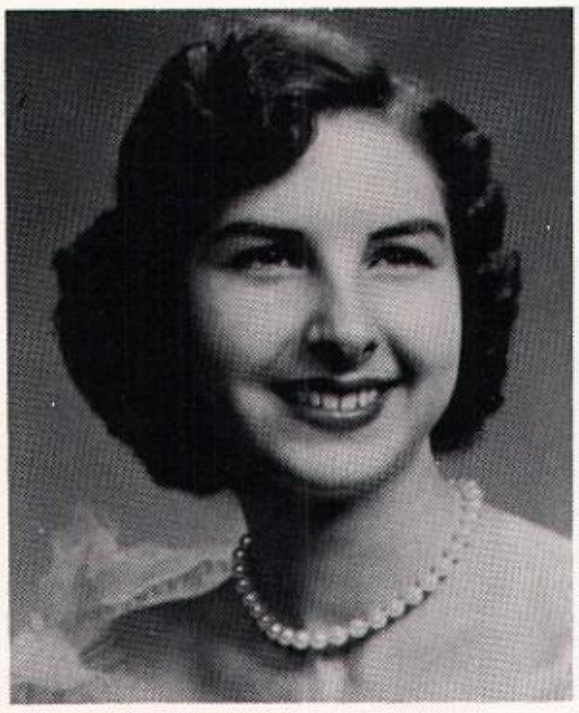


CECIL ANDERSON

Football 4 yrs.; Basketball 4 yrs.; Baseball 3 yrs.; Track 2 yrs.; Student Council Rep. Soph. Year.

JERRY POWELL

Football 4 yrs.; Basketball 2 yrs.; Baseball 3 yrs.; Track 2 yrs.; Page Boy; Boys State; Student Council 3 yrs.; Zinco Editor; Zinco Staff 3 yrs.; Honor Society 3 yrs.; Citizenship Award 3 yrs.; Drivers Training Contest; Salutatorian; Chatpile Editor; Radio Speaking 2nd. and 3rd. places; Class officer 3 yrs.

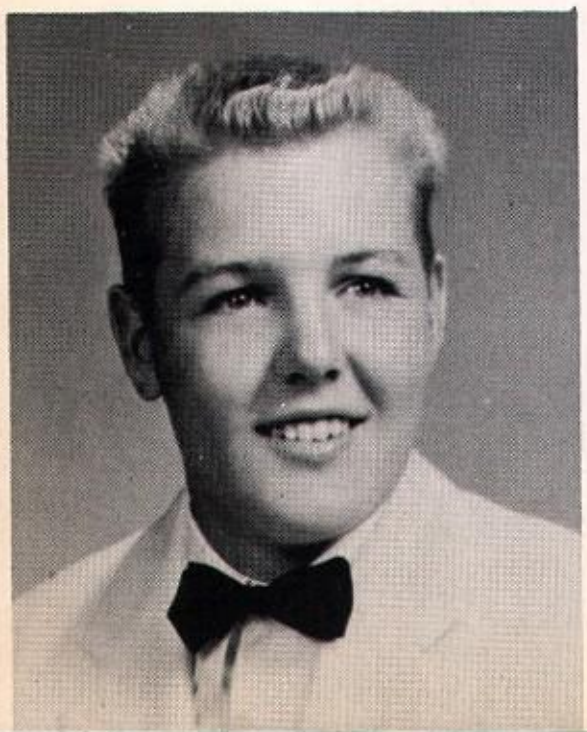


JO ANN HUGHES

Cheerleader 1 yr.; Chatpile Staff; Library Staff 1 yr.

ERMA DAVIS

Glee Club; Mixed Chorus; Freshman Class President; Student council 1 yr.; Chatpile Staff 1 yr.

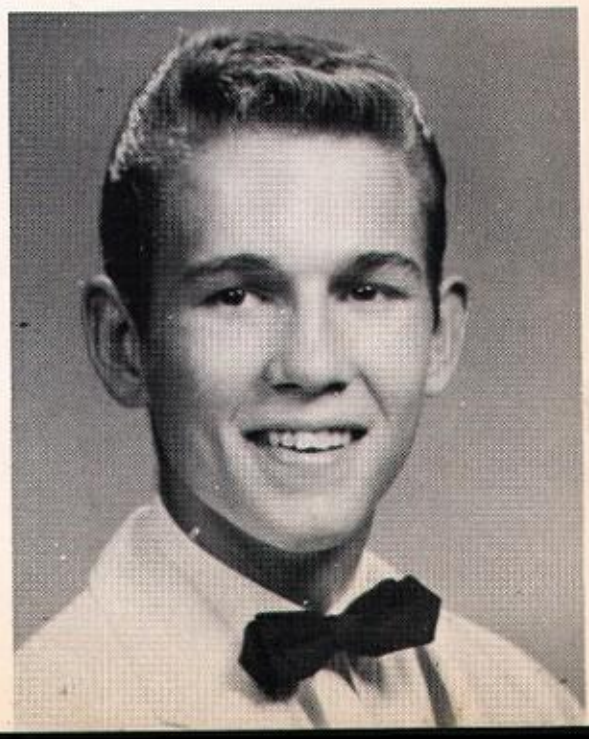


WOODROW PARKINSON

Football 4 yrs.; Basketball 1 yr.; Baseball 3 yrs. Speech play; 4-H Club; Track 1 yr.

JIMMY CARRICO

Basketball 2 yrs.; Tennis 3 yrs.; Boxing 2 yrs.; Bookkeeping Award; 4-H Club; Speech play.

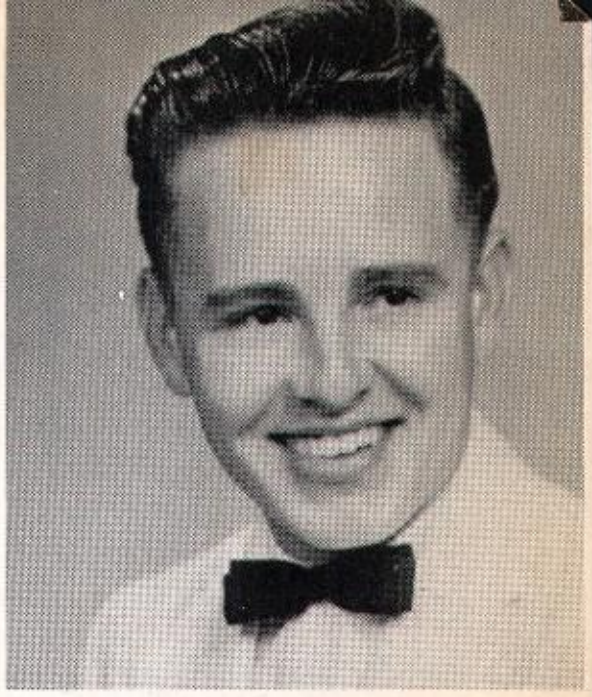


JOHNNY GOUGH

Student Council President, Northeastern Oklahoma T & I President, T & I Contestant, Awarded 2 Sportsmanship and 1 Most Popular Boxing Awards in Golden Gloves, Won Oklahoma State Championship.

BURL LANE

Band 4 yrs., 1 yr., Football, Chatpile Editor, Zinco King, 4 H 2 yrs., Mixed Chorus 3 yrs., Boy Glee Club 1 yr., Saxophone Solo 1st. Rating District Contest, Student Conductor 2 yrs., Outstanding Musicalship Award.

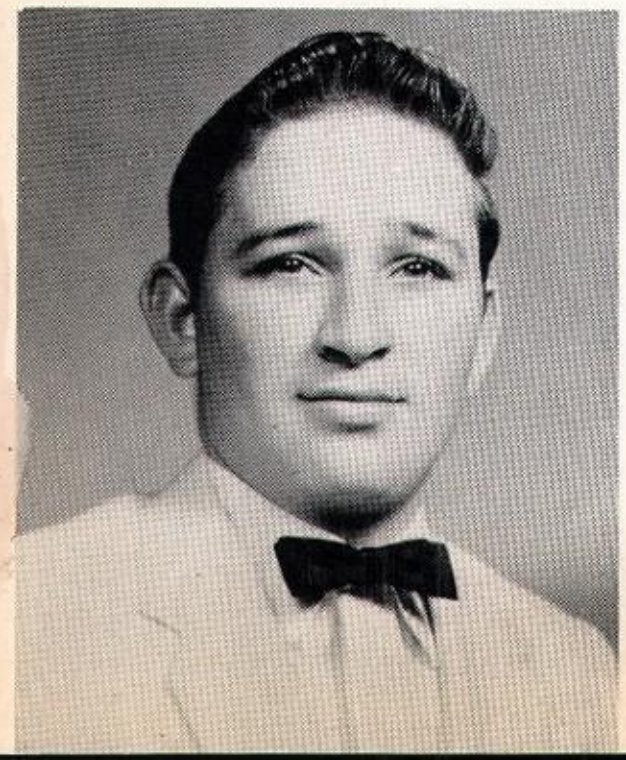


MYRNA WALKER

Glee Club 4 yrs., Pep Club 3 yrs., Mixed Chorus, Library 1 yr., Chatpile 1 yr., Football Queen Junior yr.

RAYMA SMITH

Cheerleader 3 yrs., Zinco Queen Senior yr., Chatpile, Band, Twirler, Reporter Sophomore yr., State Speech Contest, Mixed Chorus.

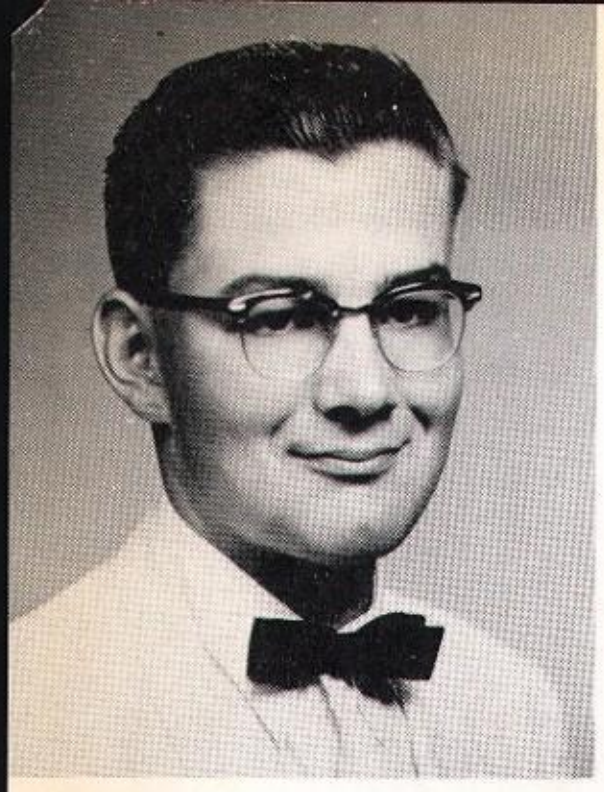


JERRY MILLARD

Vice President Junior yr., 4 H 4 yrs., Band 1 yr., Mixed Chorus 2 yrs., T & I 2 yrs.

LARRY MILLARD

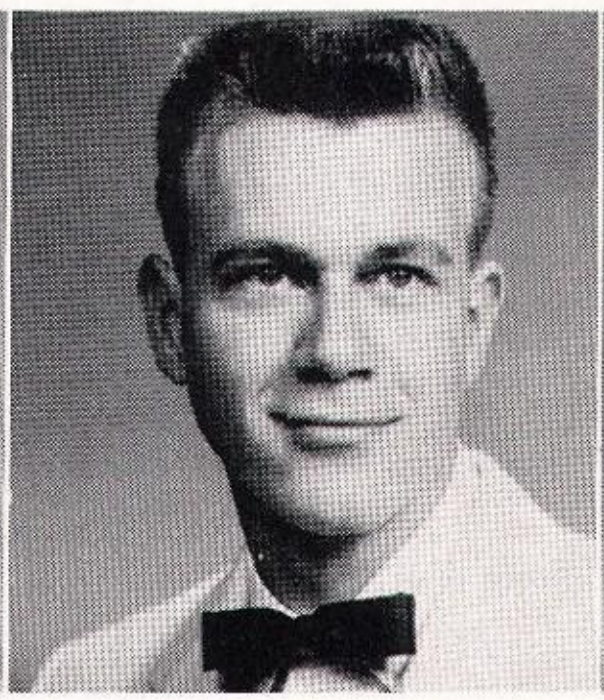
1st and 2nd Place in 4 H County Fair Contest, 4 H 4 yrs., State Honor Society 2 yrs., 3rd., State T & I, Most Outstanding Wood Shop Award, Student Council Representative, Mixed Chorus 2 yrs.



WARD DARNELL
Band 4 years; Chatpile.

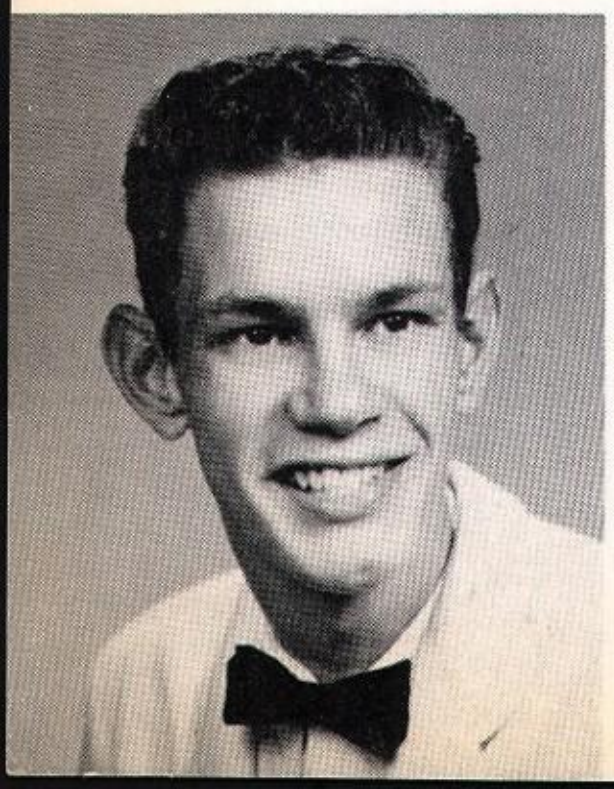
EVERETT GREEN
Band 4 years; Chatpile; 4-H 1 year; Mixed Chorus 2 years; Boys Glee Club 1 year.

GENENE DAY
Glee Club 2 years; 4-H 2 years; Pep Club 3 years; Chatpile; Zinco Staff 1 year; State Honor Society 3 years; Library 3 years.



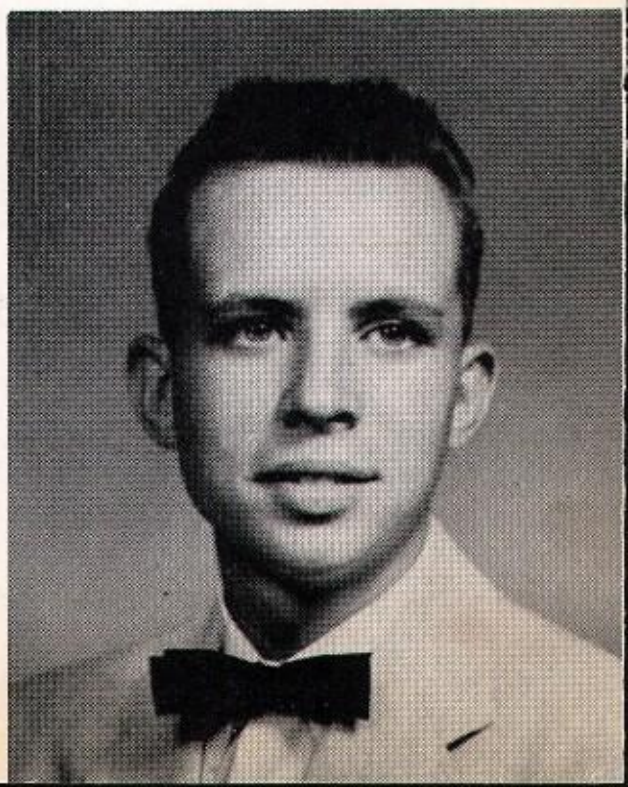
JIMMY HEATHERLY
Basketball 3 years; Baseball 3 years; Track 2 years; Tennis 2 years.

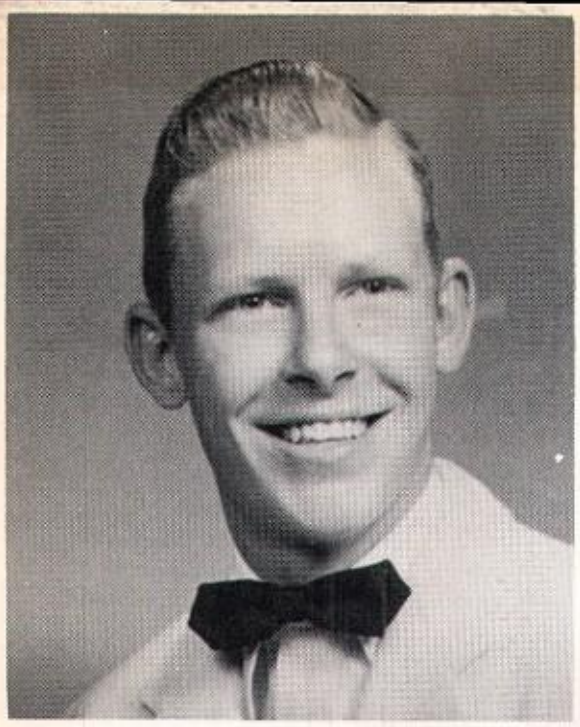
NORMA EMARTHLA
Band 4 years; Basketball; Softball.



CARL PATTERSON
4-H 1 year; Chatpile Editor; Library 1 year.

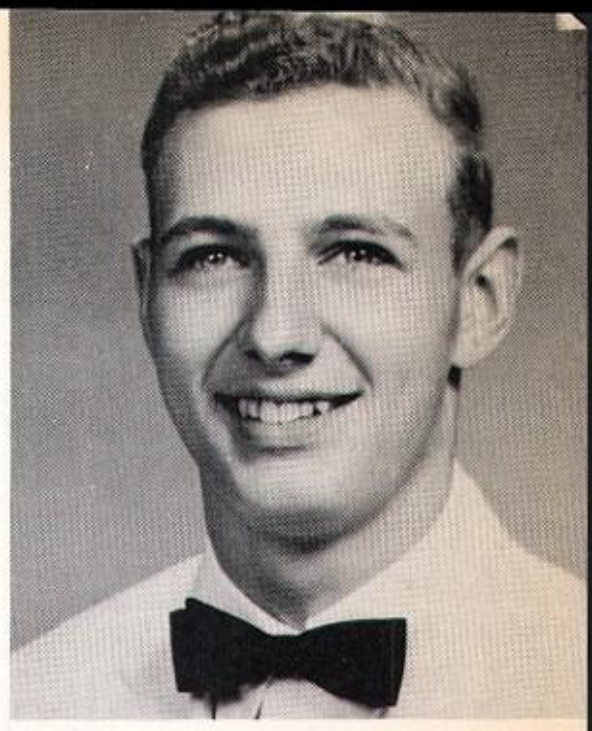
LAWRENCE MATHEWS
Baseball 1 year; 4-H 3 years; Outstanding Actor in 9th grade speech play; 1st place in Humorous Reading.





DEWAYNE TREECE
Baseball 3 yrs.; Basketball 1 yr.; Mixed Chorus 2 yrs.; 4-H 4 yrs. Track 2 yrs.; Tennis 2 yrs; T & I Contestant; Boys Chorus 1 yr.; Chatpile Staff 1 yr.

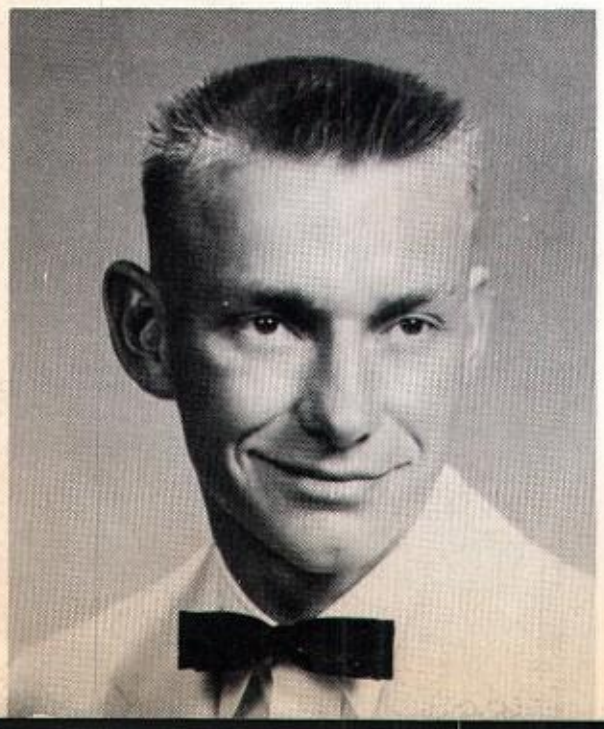
MICHAEL JONES
T & I Contestant; Boys Chorus; Mixed Chorus; 4-H.



PATSY LEE
Glee Club; Mixed Chorus; Chatpile Staff.

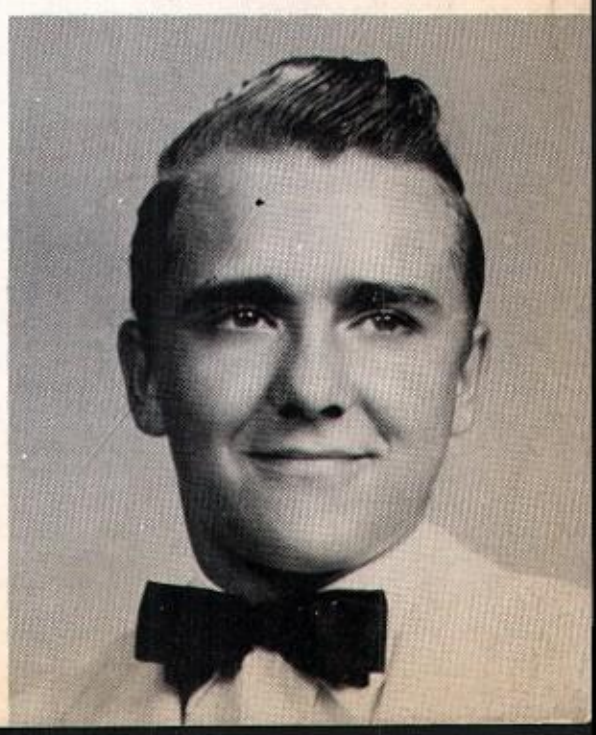
LANNY STEWART
Speech Contest; Library Staff 1 yr.; 4-H 4 yrs.

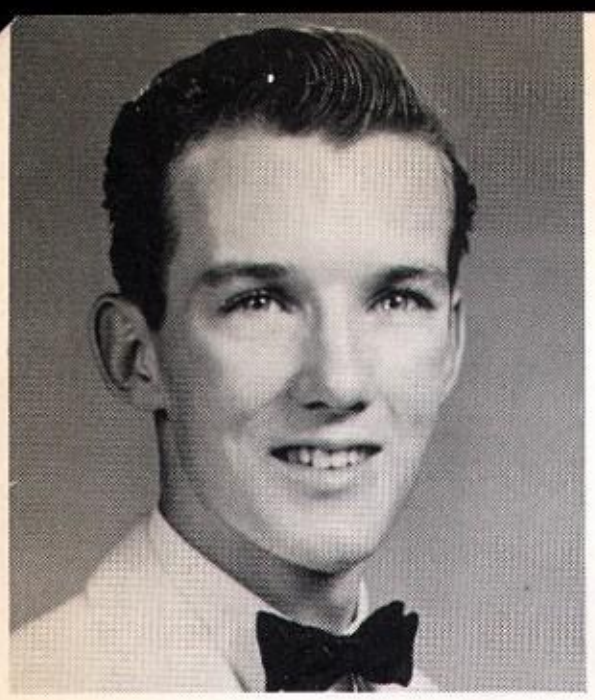
BILLIE OLDS
Band 2 yrs.; Pep Club 2 yrs.; Chatpile Staff; Library 1 yr.



WALTER PARMER
Football 2 yrs.; Track 2 yrs.; Mixed Chorus 2 yrs.; Mixed Chorus 2 yrs.; T&I Contestant.

ROY DEATHERAGE
T & I Contestant; 4-H 4 yrs.; Chatpile Staff.

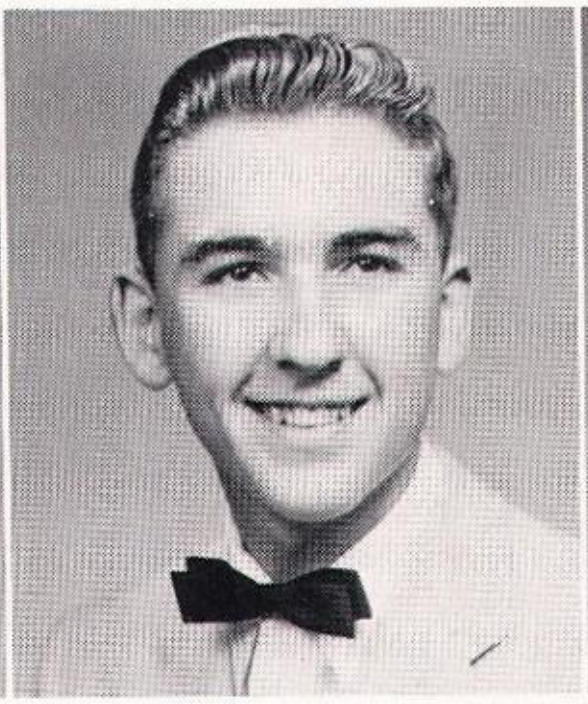




RICHARD SCOTT
Speech 4 yrs., Football 3 yrs., Basketball 2 yrs., 4 H 1 yr., Boxing, 2nd Place in Problems of Democracy, 2nd and 3rd in Original Oratory.

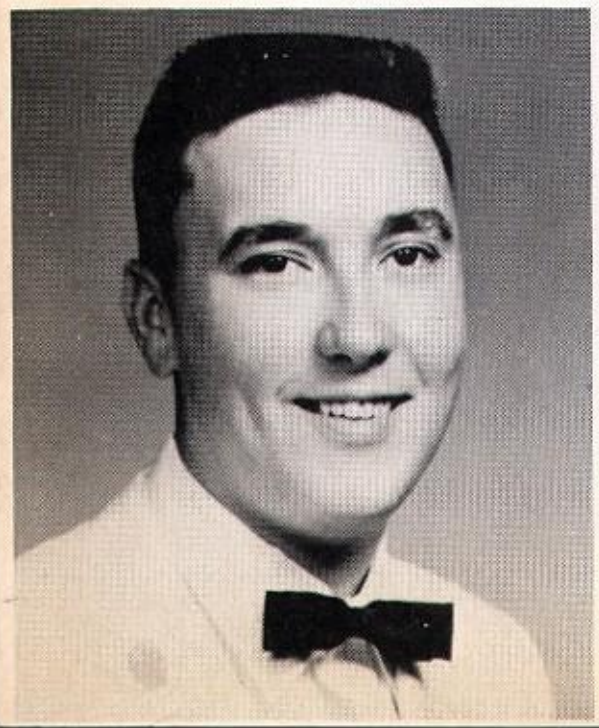
BILL PETERS
One year of Future Farmers of America, Speech, Voc. Agri. Ist., 4 H.

NORMA CARR BROWN
Band 3 yrs., Sophomore Class President, Chatpile.



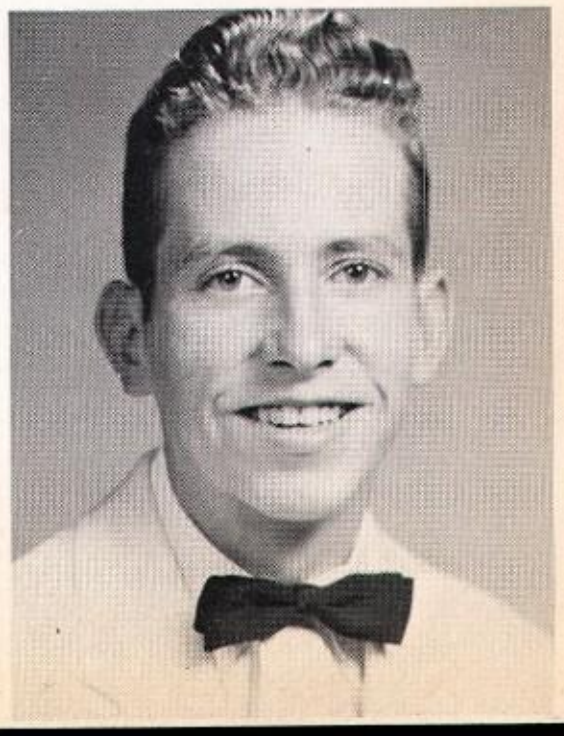
PHIL DYE
T & I Contestant, 4 H 4 yrs., Mixed Chorus 1 yr.

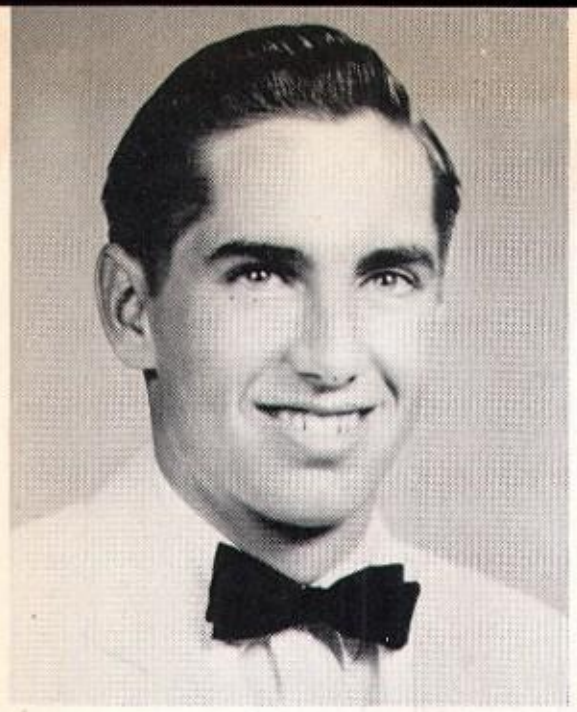
JANICE WALKENSHAW
Junior Class Reporter, Band Queen, Band 4 yrs., Twirler 4 yrs., Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Chatpile.



JIMMY DAVIS
Jr. High Validictorian, Outstanding Bookkeeping Student, State Honor Society, Baseball 4 yrs.

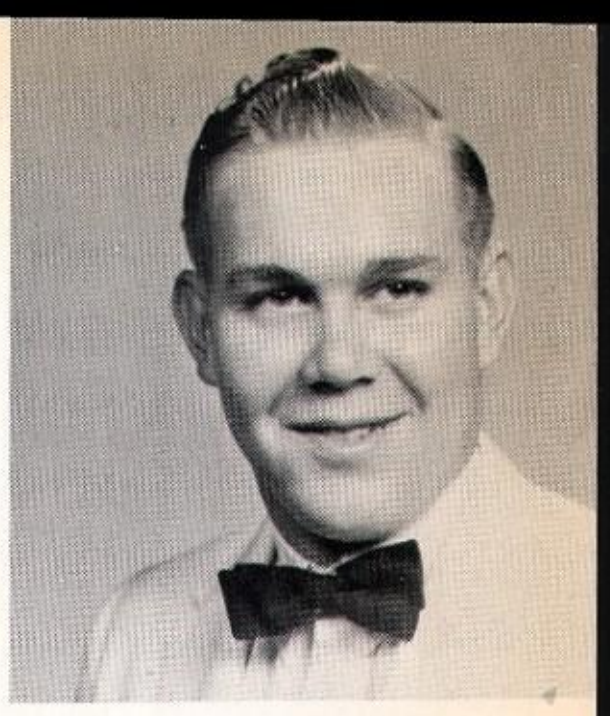
ELLIS JONES
Boys Glee Club, Mixed Chorus, Chatpile Staff.



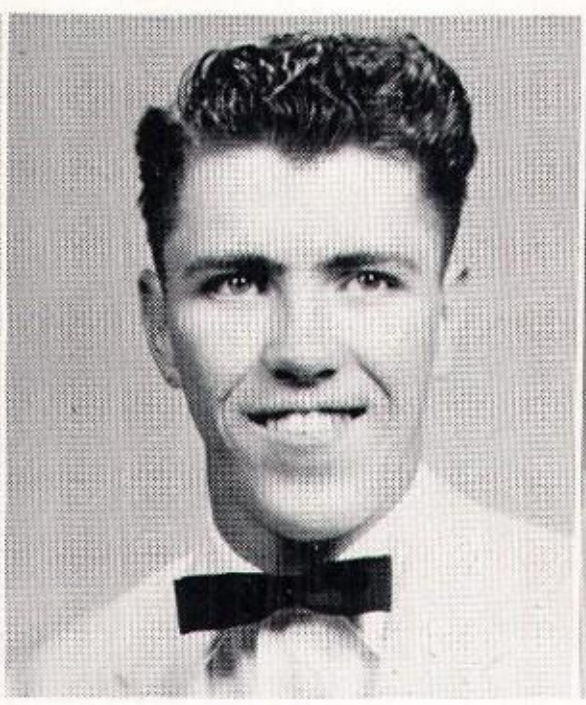


EDWARD PALMER
Chatpile Staff, Track 1 yr.

JULIUS KLINE
4 H 4 yrs., T & I Contestant, Football 1 yr.



TWYLA MAYBERRY
4 H, Mixed Chorus, Cheerleader, Chatpile.

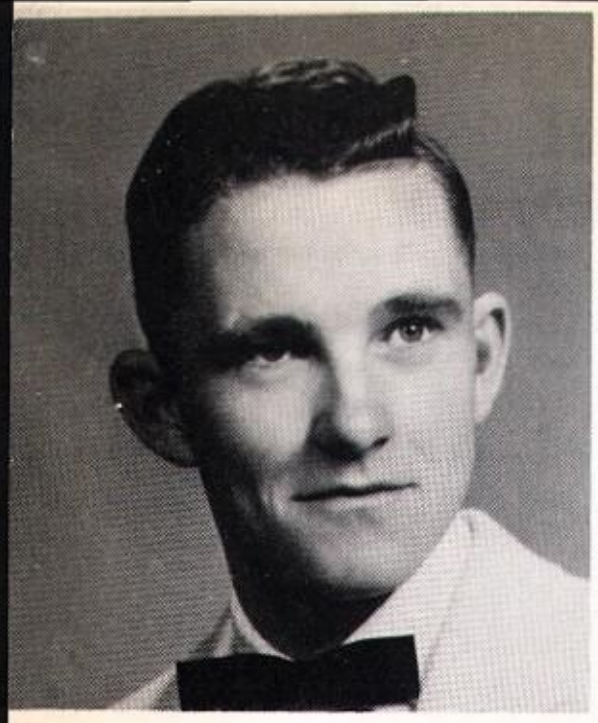


RAY DALE BOX
4 H 4 yrs., Football 1 yr., T & I Contestant.

DONNA ABERNATHY
Glee Club 4 yrs., Mixed Chorus 4 yrs., Pep Club 4 yrs., Library 1 yr., Girls Quartet, Chatpile Staff.

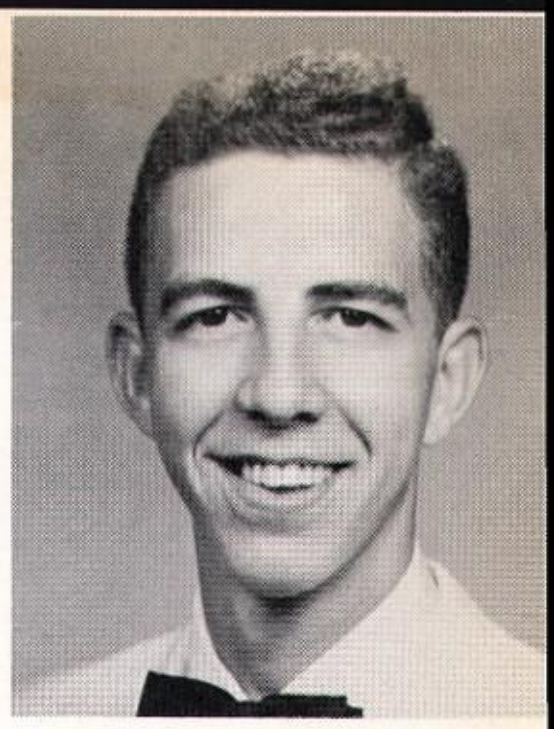
JOHNNY RICHARDSON
4 H Club 4 yrs., T & I Contestant, Chatpile Staff, Library.

ROBERT GARNER
T & I Contestant, 4 H 4 yrs., Chatpile.



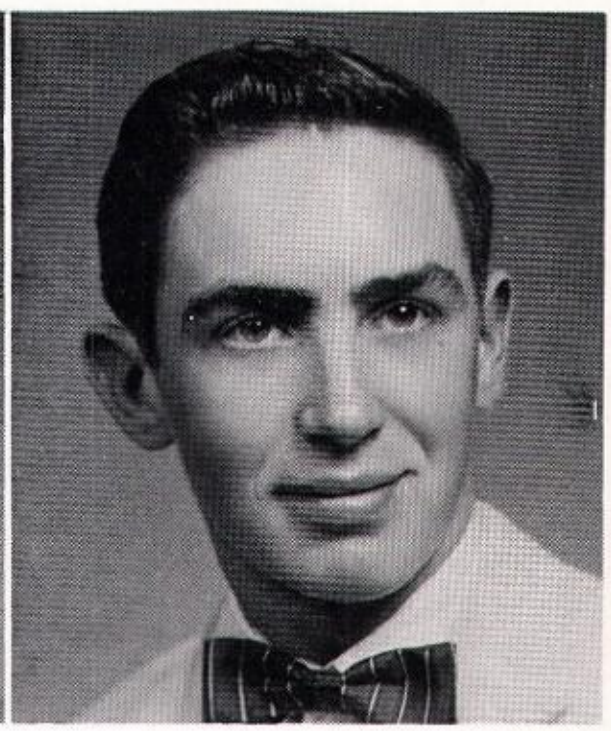
BOBBY HERD
T &I Contestant; Future Teachers of America; Track.

JERRY HULVEY
Boys Glee Club; Mixed Chorus; T & I Contestant; Chatpile Staff.



JUANITA WILSON
Glee Club, 2 yrs.; Pep Club 1 yr.; 4-H 1 yr.; Chatpile Staff; Mixed Chorus, 1 yr.

BUDDY SOOTER
Chatpile Staff; T & I Contestant.



Senior Autographs

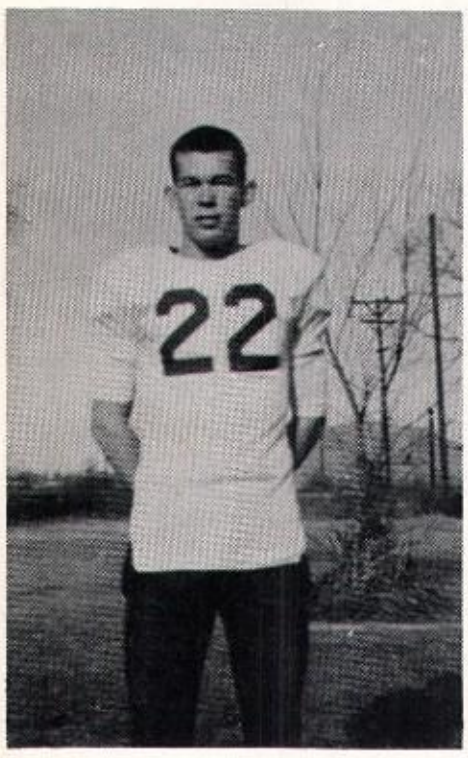
JIMMY DAVIS
Tops-Scholastically

PATSY LEE
JO ANN HUGHES
Outstanding in Short-hand.

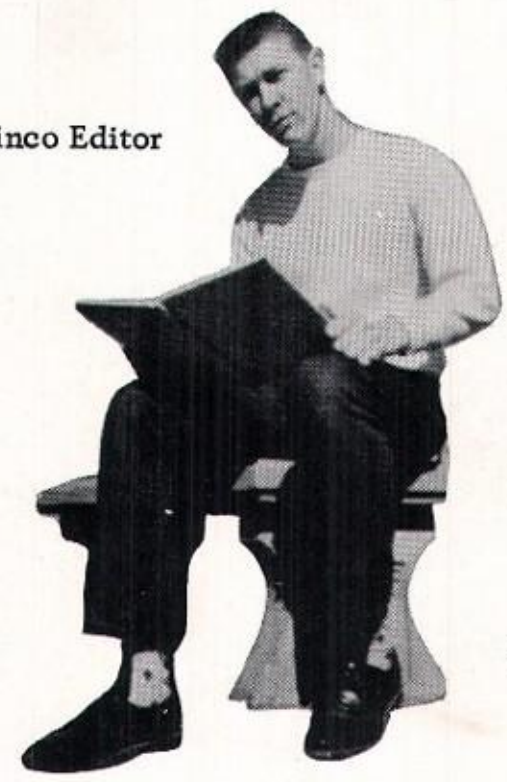
EVERETT GREEN
Best All-Around worker on school paper.

DALE SMITH
GENENE DAY
Runners-up Scholastically

Who's Who at P. H. S.



CECIL ANDERSON
All-District, 2nd team.



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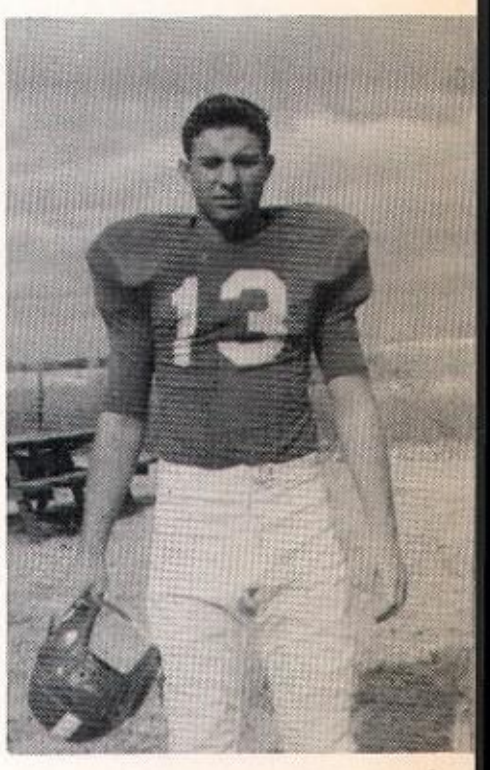


TOMMIE HOUSTON
All-District, 1st team.

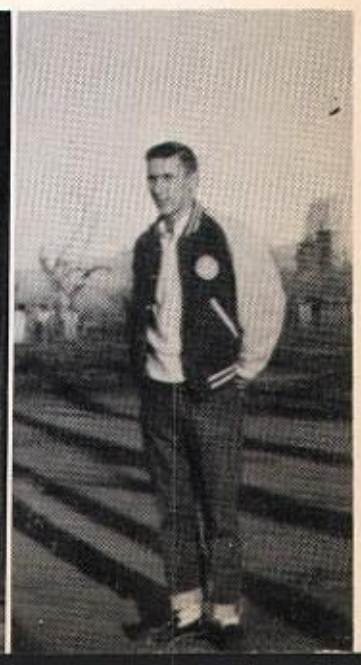
JERRY MILLARD
LARRY
MILLARD
Flag Barriers for four years.

TWYLA MAYBERRY
Best All-Around in Home-Ec.

ROBERT GARNER
Most-Outstanding T & I Mechanics.

RAYMA SMITH
LAWRENCE
MATHEWS
Outstanding Speech Students.

ROBERT
HARPER
4-H Club President.



Larry Millard
and
Robert Harper
Most Outstanding
Co-Craftsmen

Burl Lane
Student Conductor

Jane Smotherman
Senior Flutist

Jerry Millard
Best all Around
Craftsman

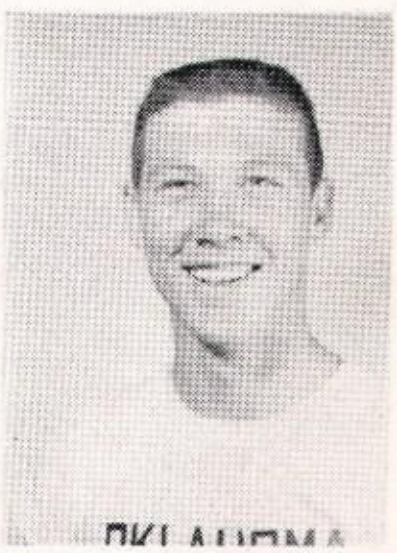
Genene Day
Most Competent Senior Typist

Boys & Girls State

Jane Smotherman

Jim Davis
Most Outstanding
Senior Bookkeeper

Johnny Gough



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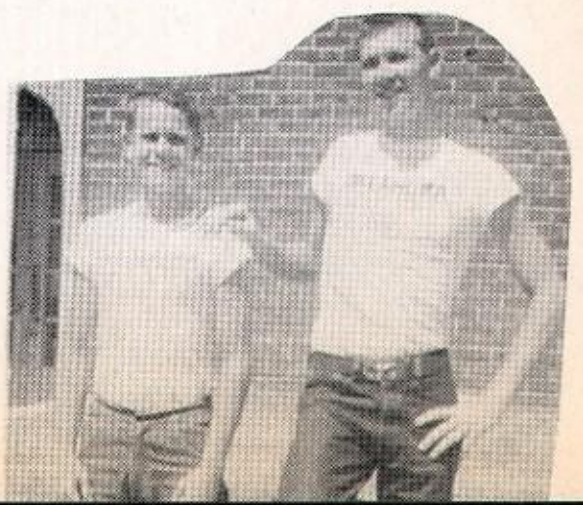
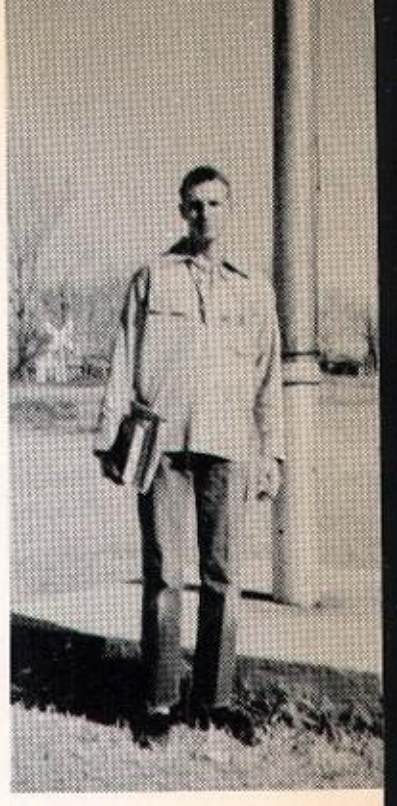


It is of some interest that, as Oklahoma was a boomer and new among the states, so was Picher a boomer and new among the cities. We feel that we have achieved a landmark in tradition when our Alumni Parents of 1957 graduates are so many. They are part of the generation which has helped make and stablize our city centering one of the greatest lead and zinc mining sections of the world. It has played a magnificent role in Oklahoma's fifty years of growth "from teepees to towers".

Woody Parkison
Woodrow Parkison, Deceased
1957 -- 1931



Mike Jones
Deloris Jones
1957 --

Richard Scott
Alice Scott
1957 -- 1929

JoAnn Hughes
Evelyn Hughes
1957 -- 1932

Tommy Houston
Clarence "Doc" Houston
1957 -- 1933

Lanny Stewart
Ruth Stewart
1957 -- 1935

Jimmy Davis
Opal Davis
1957 -- 1928

Robert Harper
Edith Harper
1957 -- 1929

Phil Dye
Irma Dye
1957 -- 1931

Junior Review

The Junior Class of 1956-57 started with seventy-nine students who had a great ambition for a successful year, the same kind of ambition which put the exclamation point in "Oklahoma!" Many dreams were fulfilled as the year came to a close. Some of our memories are:

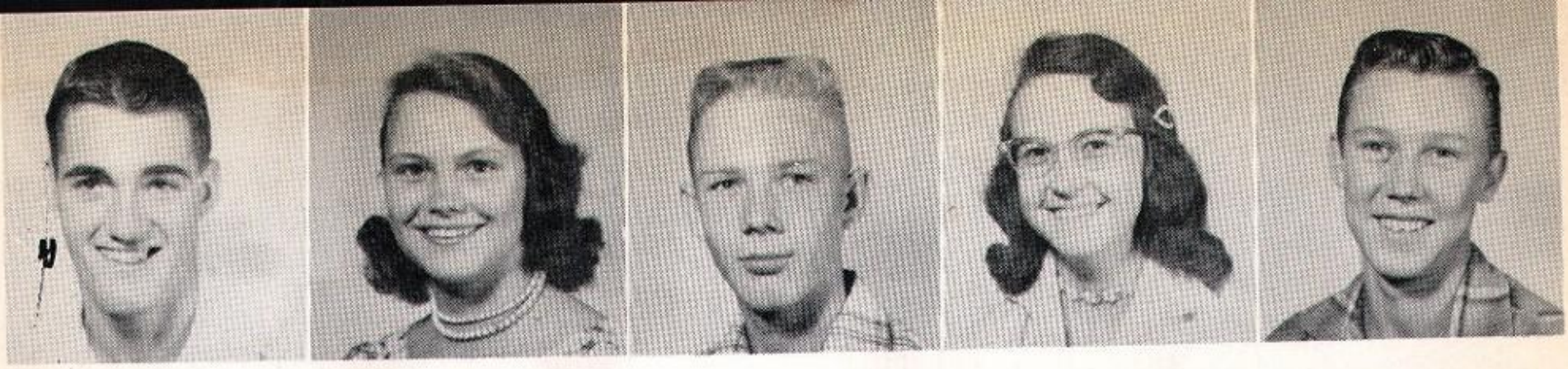
That wonderful day which we awaited for eleven years: The day we ordered our class rings.

The exciting football games--our main interest being money--money--money, or working the concession stand.

The basketball teams with four of our Junior boys and two spirited Junior cheerleaders.

The night of Dec. 6, when the talented Junior girls presented the Junior Class Play--"Little Women."

The climactic event of all the unforgetable starry night of the Junior-Senior Banquet with the wonderful food and entertainment.



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Vice President

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Juanita Stratton | Corky Henry | Judith Madden | Gary Williams

Stella Hankins
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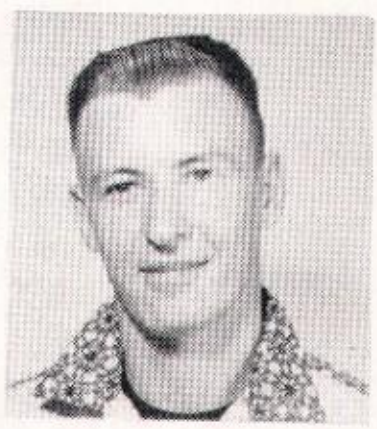


Larry Heatherly
Stu. Council Rep.

Cynthia Clanton | Barry Damrill | June Pierce | Ronnie Edwards

Vada Taylor | Harold Morris | Zina Shipman | Joe Ted Sowvell | Pauline Maute

Jim Pendleton | Kathryn Miller | Gene Starling | Bertha Tabor | Carol Faye Fisher

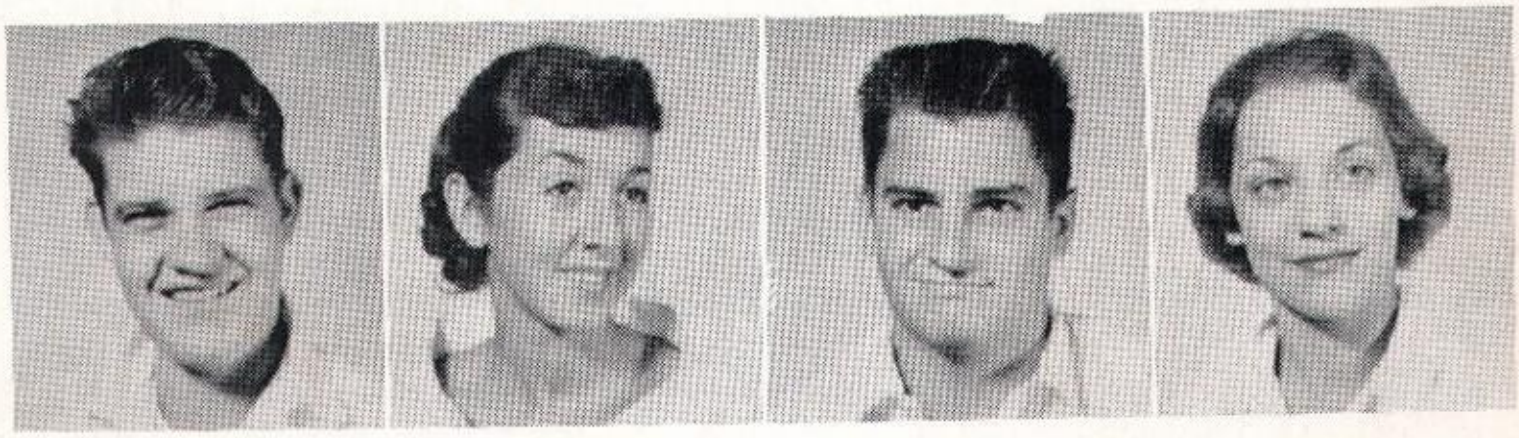
Jannell Darnell | Wayne Patrick | Joyce Abernathy | Howard Hammick

John Ware

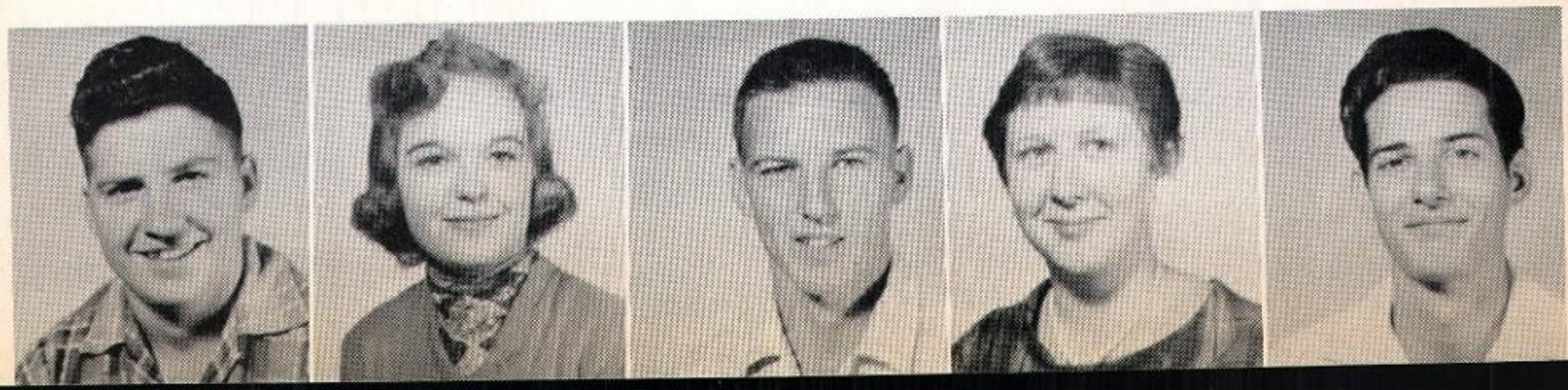
Our Zinco Attendants

Our Float

Don McGinnis | JoAnn Crockett | Jack Dug[illegible] | Shirley Wood



Tim Reeves | Pat Jackson | Ernest Brookshire | Carol Reed | Bob Evans



Sophomores

In the Seventh Grade we had the best Junior High basketball team in our conference. We also took third place in the float division of our Homecoming Parade and the Zinco saw our class represented by Prince James Graves and Princess Carolyn Lane.

The next year we did very little in the way of showing but we did make history when one of our classmates, Carolyn Lane, was the first person to be chosen drum major of our band while only in the Eighth Grade. We also had a fair basketball team.

In the Ninth Grade year we did some better. "The Smell of the Yukon," a speech play was presented by five of our classmates: Cindy Montgomery, James Graves, Susie Wood, Donnie Johnson, and Gary Hayes. Nearing the end of our Freshman year when it was time for our graduation exercises our Valedictorian Carolyn Lane and our Salutatorian Lyndell Smith was chosen.

This year we took first place over the Seniors at our Homecoming Parade in the float division with our theme "Raising the Flay on Iwo Jima." We became full fledged members of the Senior High when we were initiated by our superiors, the Seniors. And we're all looking forward for the day when we will be the superiors--the Seniors of 1958-59.

Patsy Powell
Cindy Montgomery

Johnny Lawrence
Lawrence Barnes

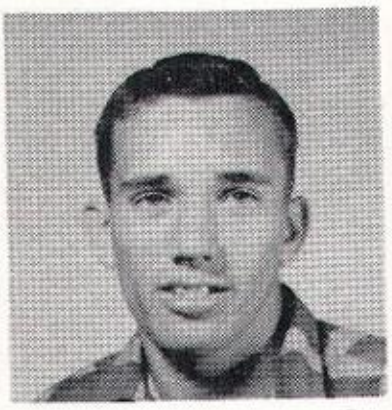
Geraldine Cox
Grace Taylor

Joe Sweeten
Harvey Hart

Joy Bone
Carolyn Lane

Dickie Barnett
Eddie Craig

Donnie Johnson
Representative



James Graves
President

Lyndell Smith
Vice-President

Gary Cox
Gary Williams

Janice Moore
Pat Luton

Ray Harrell
Butch Powell

Mary Gilmore
Judy Patterson

Leroy Evans
Herbert Hare

Susie Wood
Pat Carroll

Danny Inman
LeRoy Murdock

Lela Rae Heatherly
Lloyd Skelton

Gary Hayes
Virginia Fogleman

Delores Richardson
Ronnie Hughes

Gene Glover
Freda Shaffer

Phyllis Jones
Karen Millard

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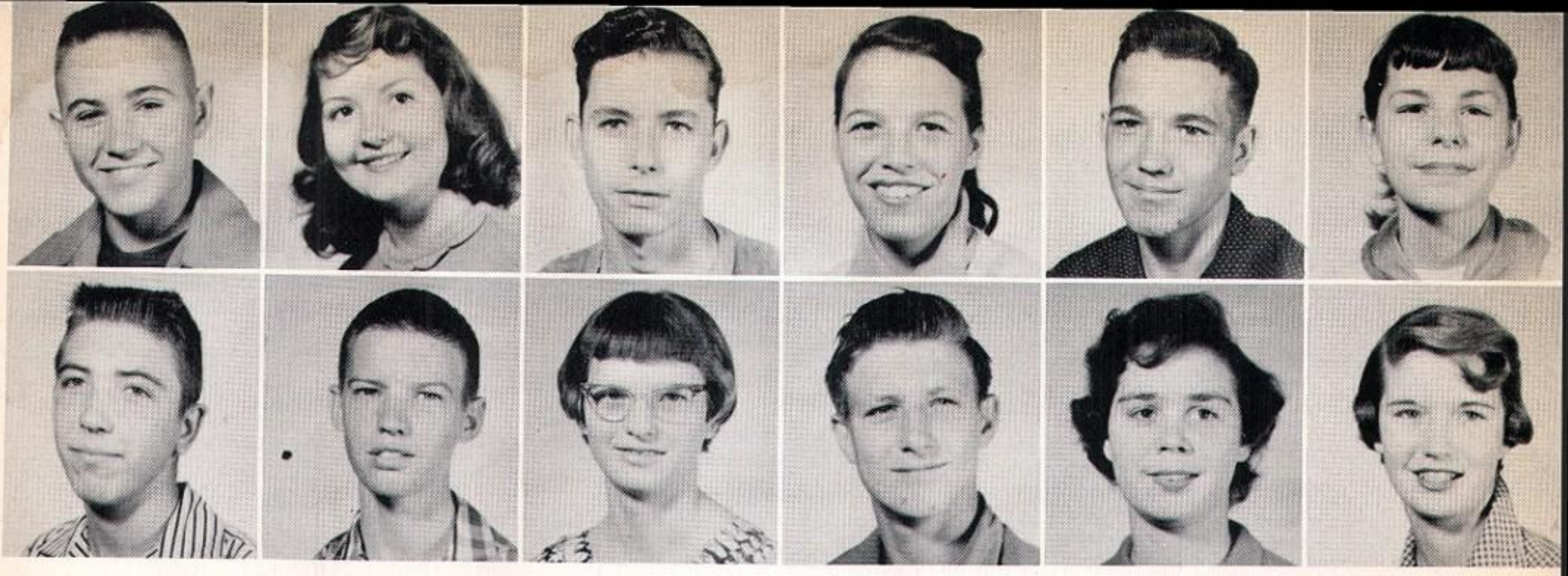
Velma Madison
Martha Dunning



Buddy Wolfe
Joe Linthicum

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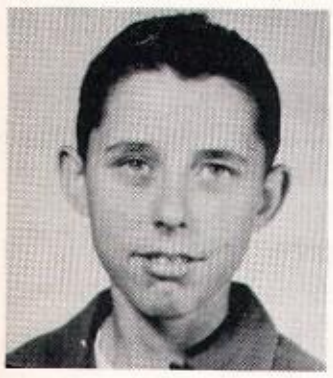
Robert Brookshire

Charles Riggins
Alma Morrison

Wanda O'Dell
Tommy Parkin

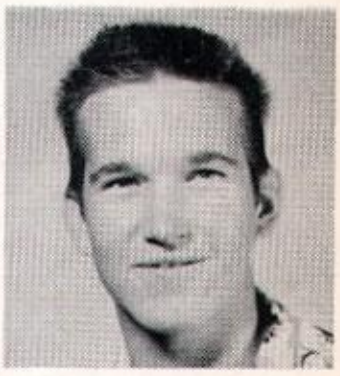
Albert Garner
Maxine Hayes

Betty Stites
Patsy Shipman



Charles Millard

Patsy Cooper



Richard Bumpus

Patsy Bryan
Judy Henson

Beverly Chazell
Roy Watson

Jimmy Sooter
Ellis Morerod

Marion Kingfisher
Perry Brown

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Wesley McGowen

Larry Houser

SOPH'S
BIG DAY

Jim Abernathy Clara Hart Kenneth Williams Geraldine Tabor Billy Cox

Patsy Sedberry Paul Cook Mildred Eli Joe Carey

Doris Stites Joe Poor Betty Hile

Ninth Grade

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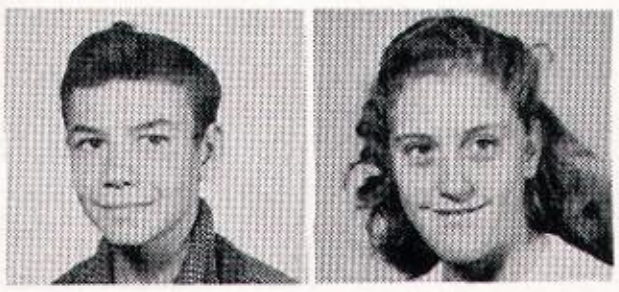

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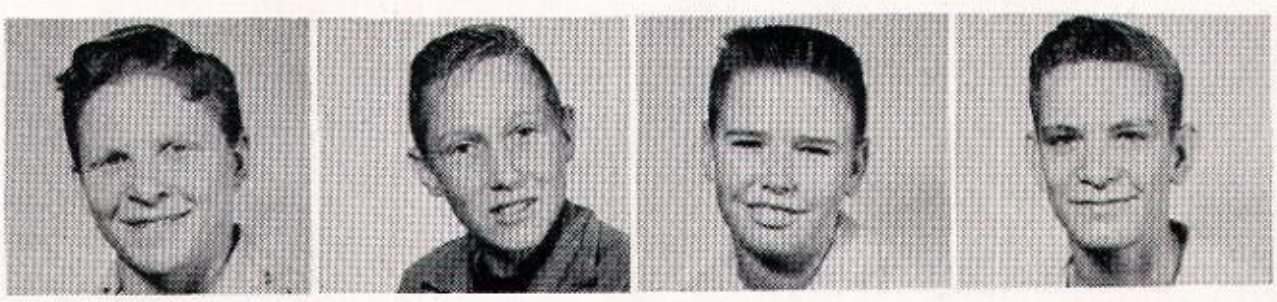

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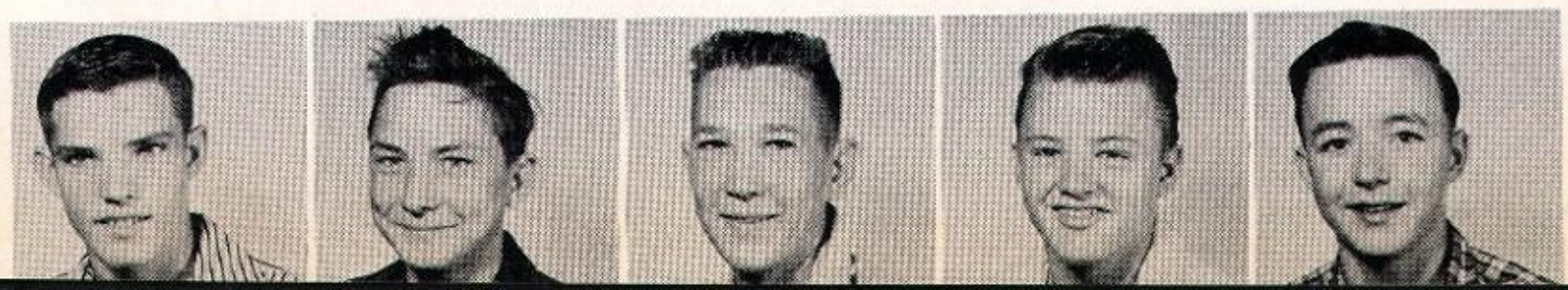

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P. Osborn B. Pendleton J. Skelton B. Shepherd C. Ware

R. Allen B. Culter C. O'Neal

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E. Wright A. Jones W. Lowery H. Morang J.L. Irwin

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G. Smith V. Montgomery J. Karnes C. Wallace

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Mrs. McLain

T&I AUTO MECHANICS
Teacher
Mr. Osborne

T&I CARPENTRY
Teacher
Mr. Mullins

Teacher
Mr. Hoos
TYPING II

Teacher
Miss Shryock
ALGEBRA I

Teacher
Mrs. Harrell
BOOKKEEPING

Teacher
Mr. Neighbors
CHEMISTRY

LIBRARY STAFF
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Billie Ann Olds
Lyndell Smith
Dolly Downs
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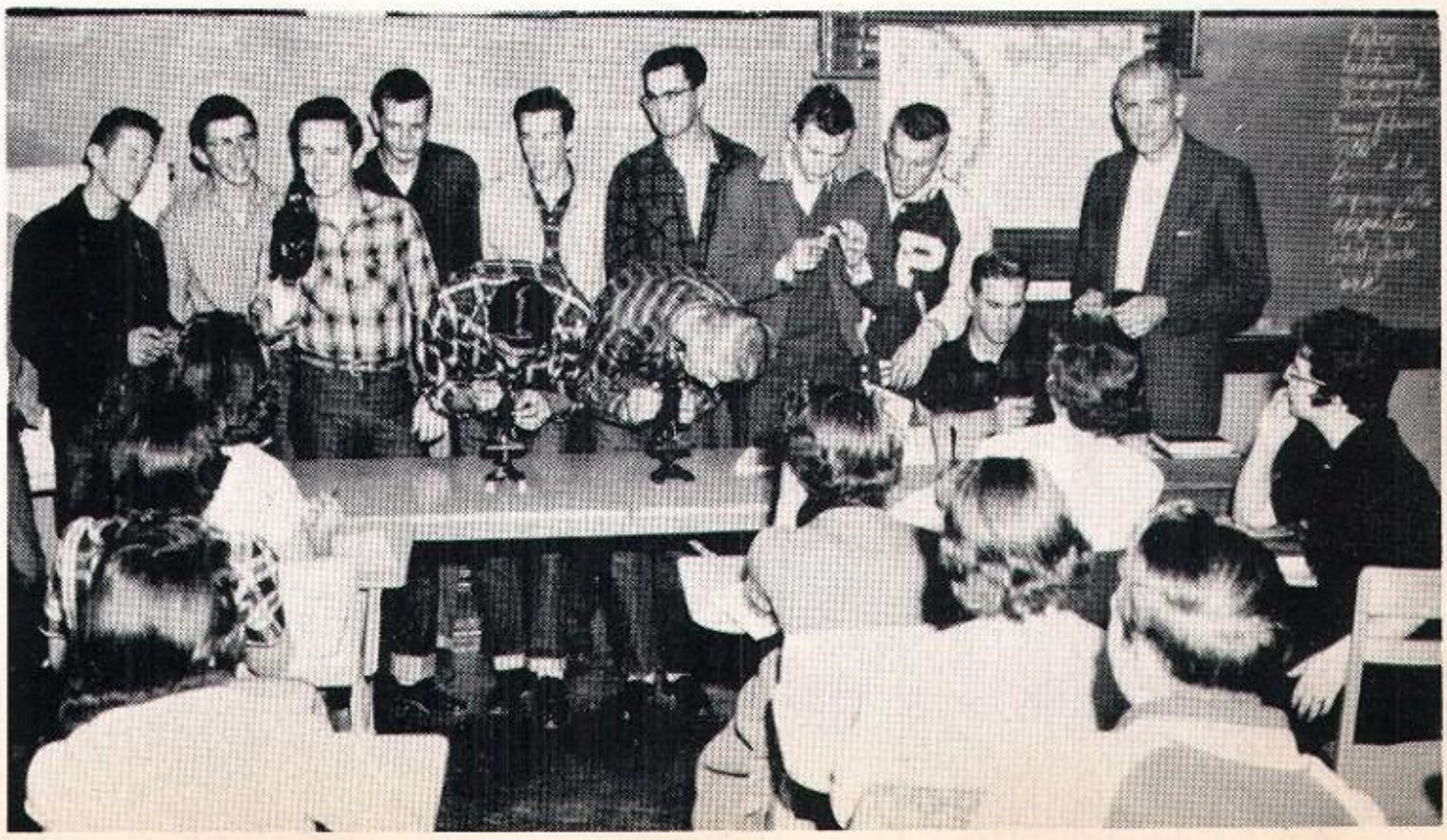

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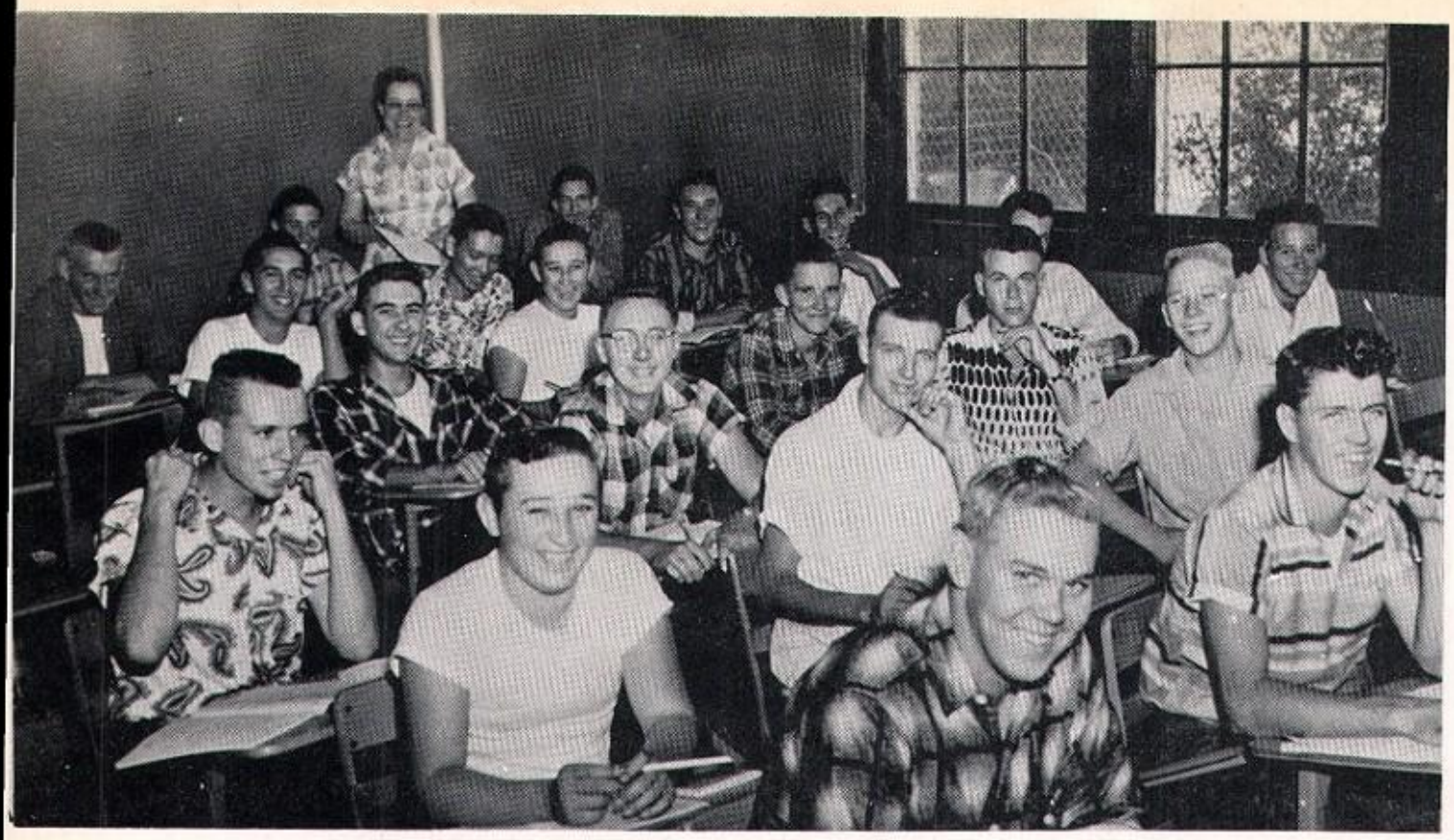

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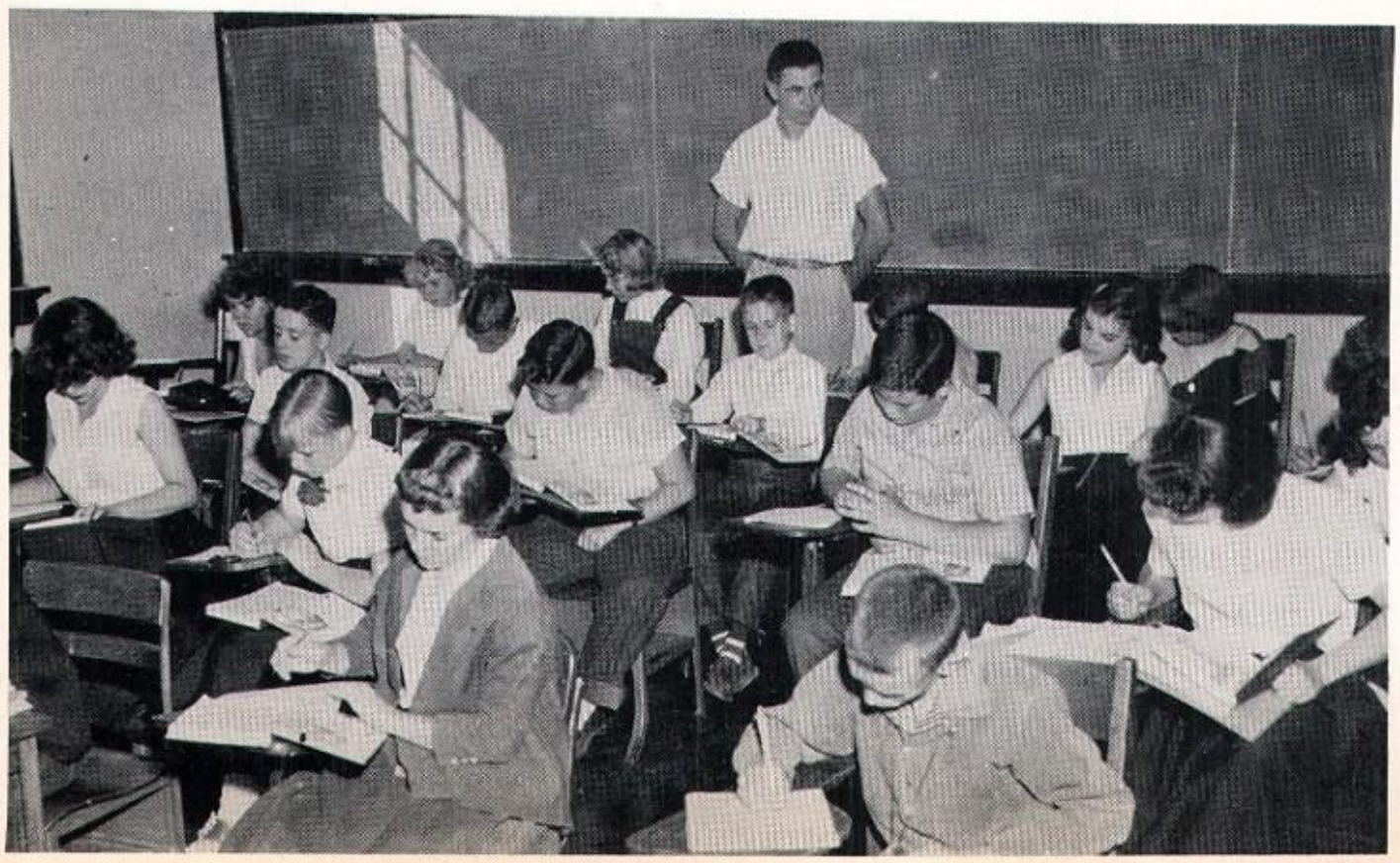

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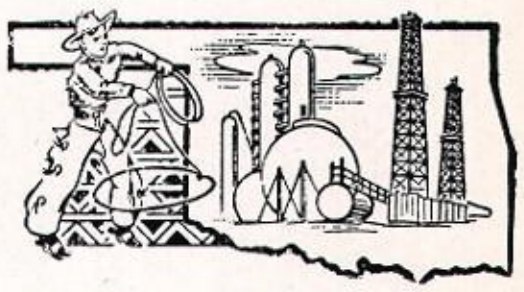
Teacher
Mr. Raunikar

Book Three



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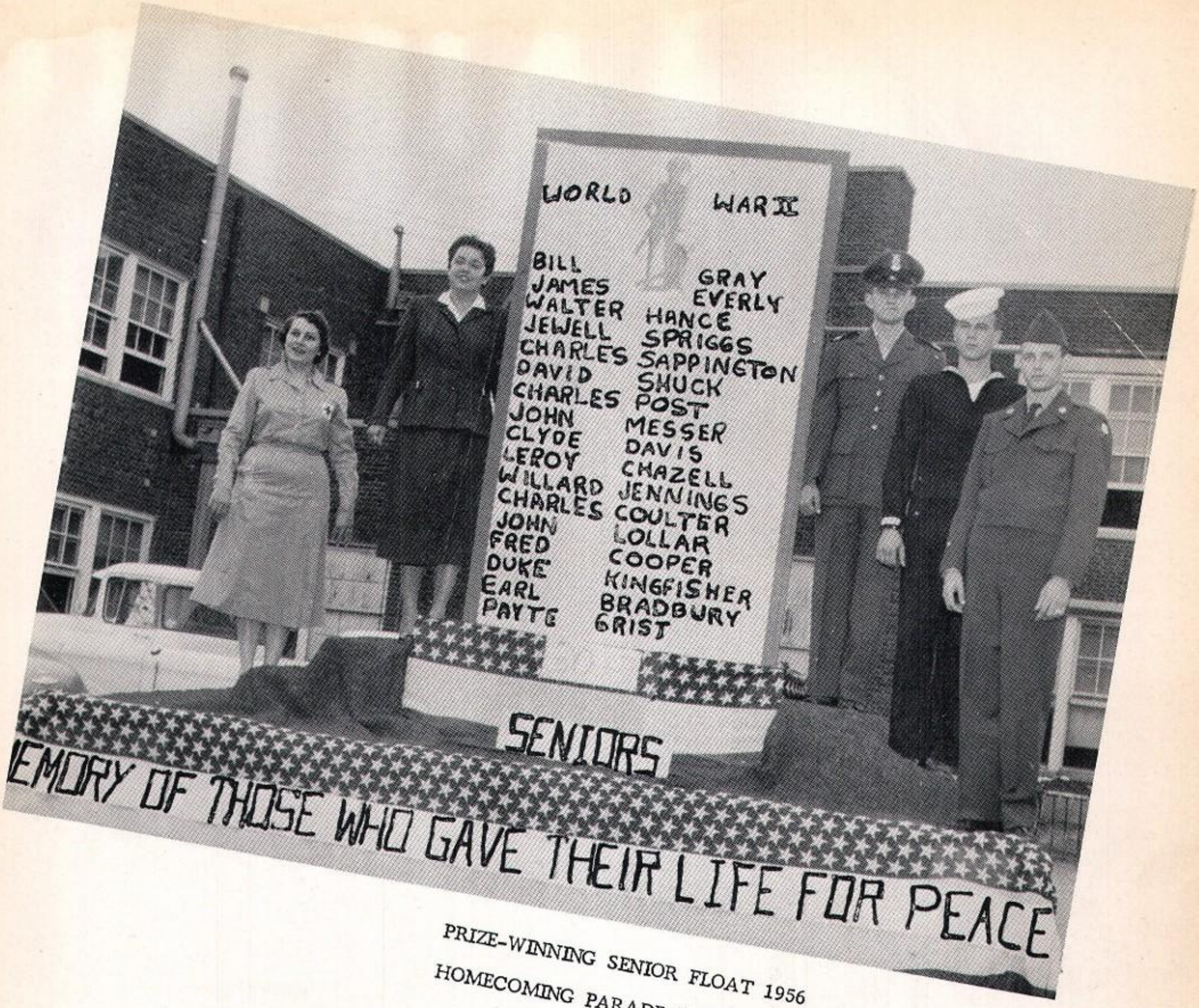
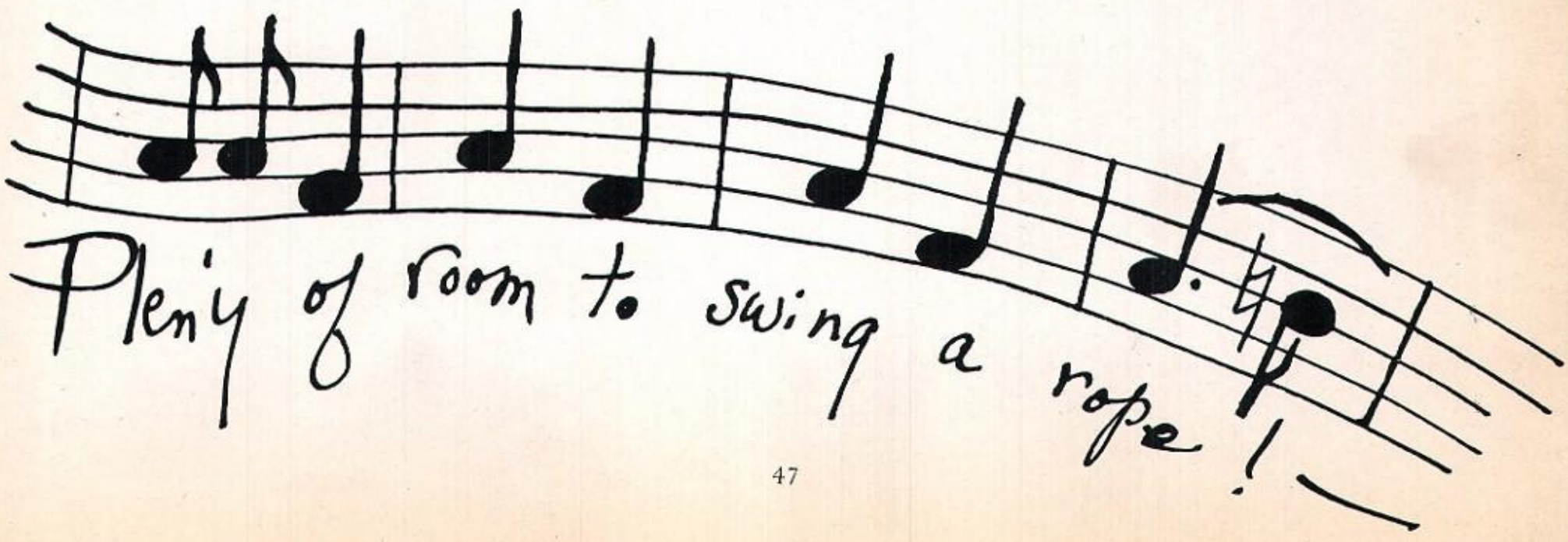
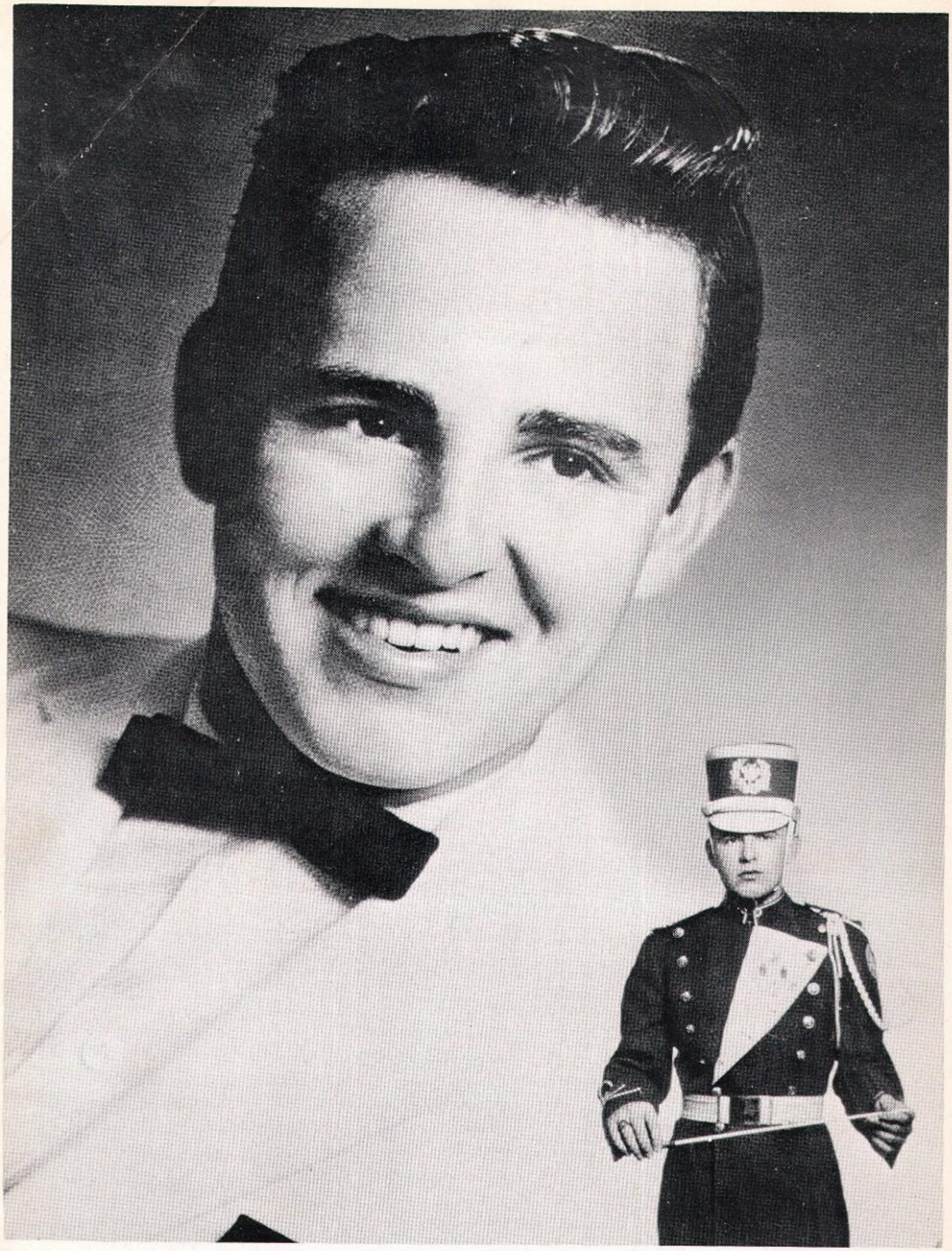


PRIZE-WINNING SENIOR FLOAT 1956
HOMECOMING PARADE OCTOBER 19

Just as Oklahoma's famous cowboy, our beloved Will Rogers, gave himself to promote good will in the world, so did our heroic alumni to the cause of its peace. The wide freedom allowing us to participate in our school's extra-curricular activities helps us grow in character and ability that we may enrichen our state's most precious resource--her youth.



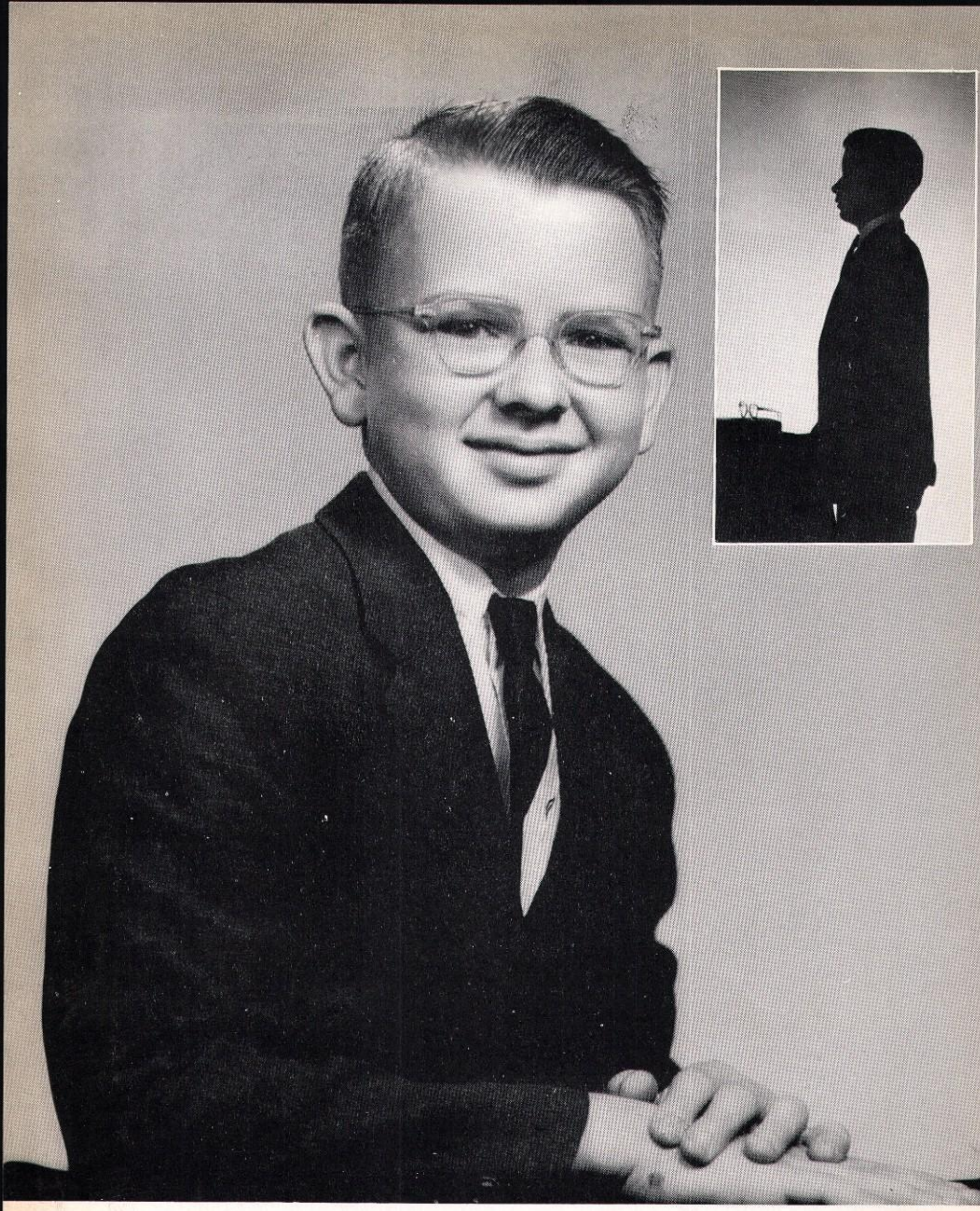


BURL LANE

King of Zinco, 1957

Miss RAYMA SMITH

Queen of Zinco



Richard Masters

Prince of Zinco

Miss Karen Williams

Princess of Zinco

Zinco Attendants

The Zinco Contest this year started the 8th of September, during the first week of school. The three classes in Senior High ran for King & Queen. The Junior High ran for Prince and Princess. The contest ended November 8th and the Seniors were King & Queen, with the 7th Grade winning the Junior High contest.

The Attendants are:

Juniors. . . . . Jo Ann Crockett
and
Barry Damrill

Sophomores. . . . . Cindy Montgomery
and
Gary Williams

Freshmen. . . . . Bridget Seat
and
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8th Grade. . . . . Carol Craig
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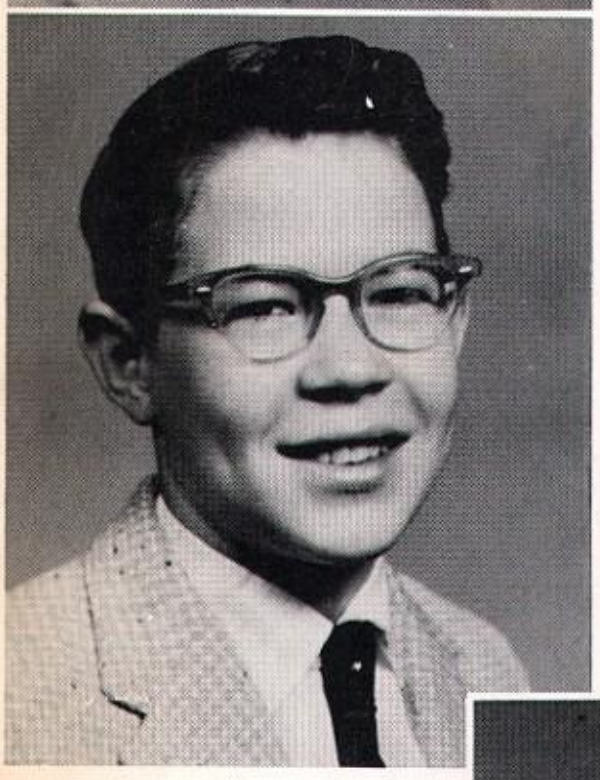

T & I Sweetheart

Miss Shirley Wood, candidate from the Auto Mechanics dep't. of the T & I Club of P.H.S. won the title above Feb. 14, 1957 over her rival candidate, Anna Lue Anderson, a representative from the Carpentry branch of the Club. The girls had a very close race and proceeds will go to the T & I Club to make their annual field trip to Oklahoma City April 5 and 6.

Miss Merry Christmas

Miss Connie Black won the title of Miss Merry Christmas of 1956 from her rivals: Senior---Miss Patsy Lee, Junior---Miss Dolly Downs, Sophomore---Miss Patsy Powell, Miss Black is a Freshman. Proceeds from this race goes to the Music Department.

PICHER
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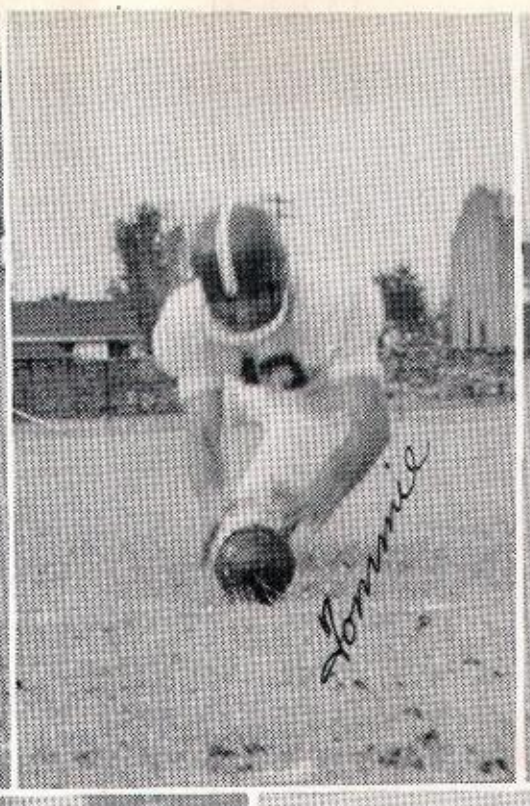
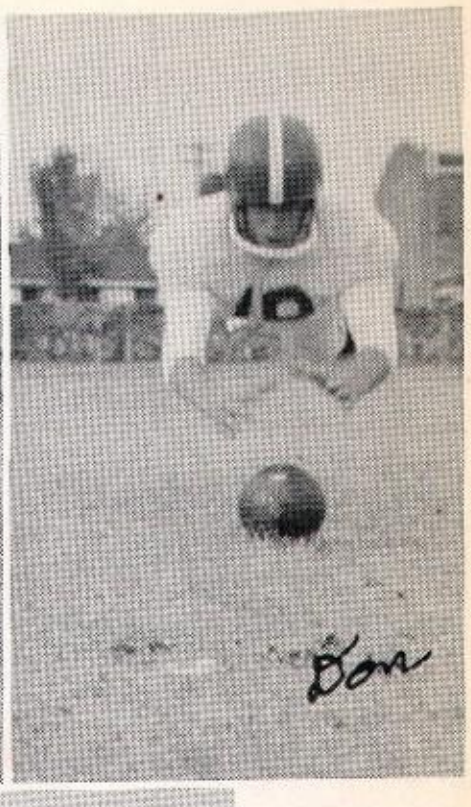
Sophomore Float
First Place

Phyliss Moore
Football Princess

Miss Linda Carnes

Queen of Football

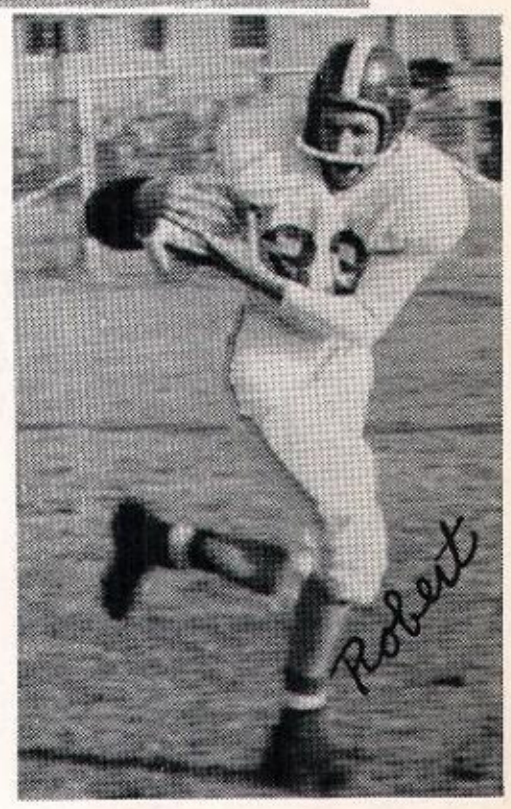




1956-57

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

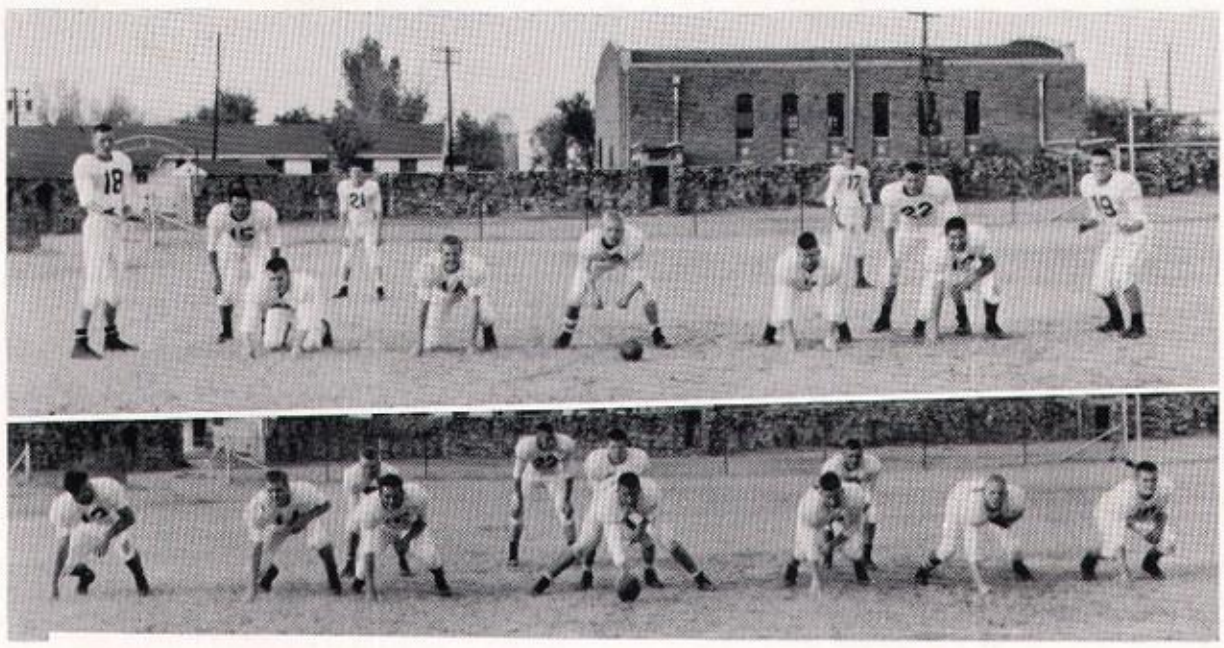
Sept.	21	Picher	0	Wyandotte	21
"	28	"	13	Baxter Springs	0
Oct.	5	"	33	Afton	0
"	11	"	33	Commerce	0
"	19	"	7	Grove	34
"	25	"	6	Fairland	12
Nov.	2	"	0	Jay	6
"	9	"	0	Chelsea	15
"	16	"	13	Quapaw	6



Senior Football Players

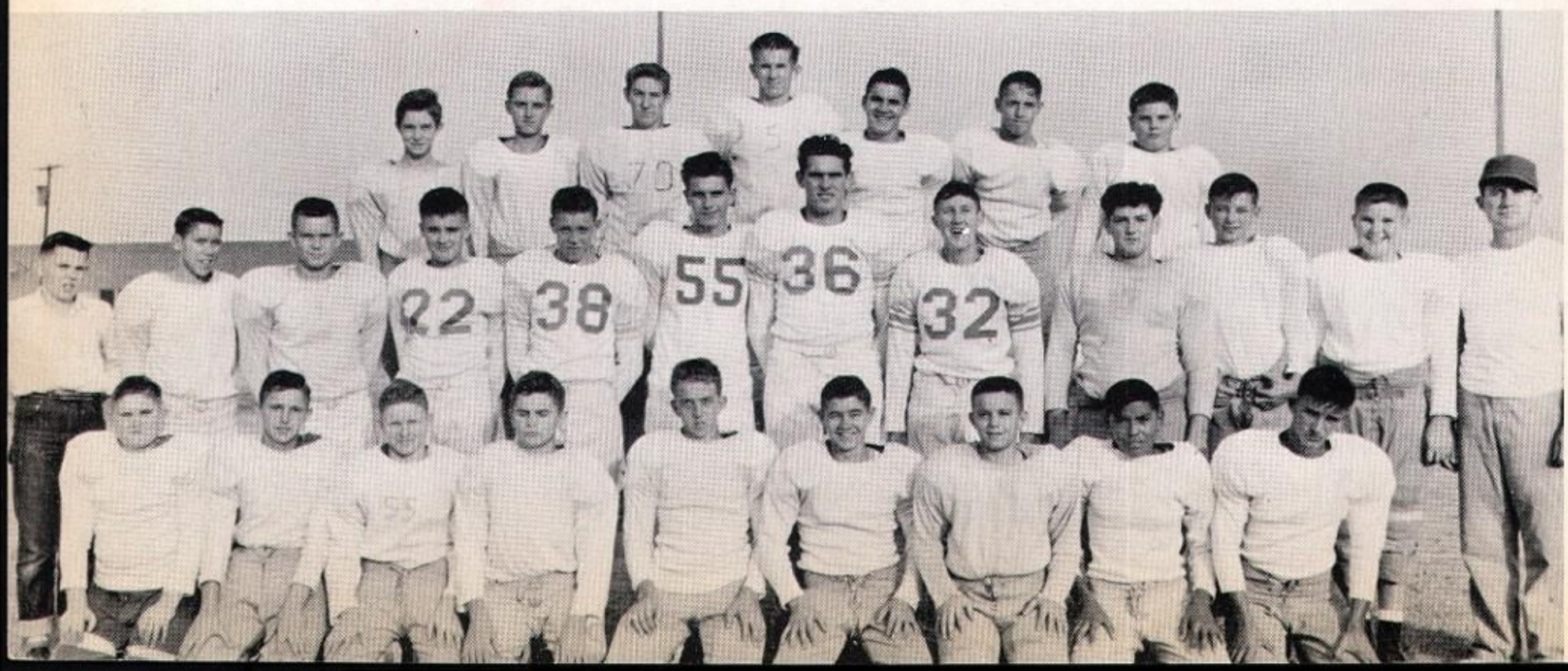
1st ROW: J. Powell, F. Wood, L. Houser, J. R. Parmer, H. Morris, E. Brookshire, H. Green, W. Parkison, T. Houston. 2nd ROW: L. Olds, L. Evans, W. Buck, L. Heatherly, C. Anderson, D. Keheley, J. Kline, R. Harper, J. Graves. 3rd ROW: Assist. Coach Bob Thompson, D. Carnahan, A. Garner, D. Johnson, B. Damrill, B. Miller, Manager G. Graham, C. Pyle, J. Abernathy, L. Carmack, J. Duggan, Coach "BO" Spoon. 4th ROW: J. Beggs, B. Claborn, D. Inman, B. Detherage, G. Glover, E. Morerod, R. Williams, R. Edwards, D. Bigley, R. Henry, T. O'Byrne, E. Keheley.

DEFENSIVE TEAM



OFFENSIVE TEAM

1st ROW: R. Anderson, T. O'Byrne, R. Herd, E. Shuck, J. Crockett, R. Hart, D. Garner, W. Emarthla, B. Buck. 2nd ROW: Manager G. Damrill, B. Claborn, E. Keheley, J. Abernathy, L. Carmack, L. Olds, C. Pyle, D. Carnahan, B. Sheppard, D. Green, S. Evans, Coach "Doc" Houston. 3rd ROW: D. Chazell, D. Karnes, D. Bigley, R. Williams, J. Glover, R. Moore, B. Abernathy.



Linda Carnes, Cynthia Clanton, Jo-Ann Hughes, and Alene Karnes.

Alice Mashburn

Wanda Keheley, and Rayma Smith.

Karen Abernathy, and Cindy Montgomery.

Geraldine Tabor, Pat Crawford, Carol Craig, Karlene Heatherly, Karen Carnes, Sandra Foster, Bennie Potter, Linda Clanton, and Linda Smith.

Miss JANICE WALKENSHAW

Queen of Basketball Surrounded by Senior Basketball Players Jerry Powell, Cecil Anderson, and Jimmy Heatherly.

Senior High Basketball Team A and B. Coach "Bo" Spoon Assistant Coach Bob Thompson (not shown in picture).

Eighth Grade Team and Coach "Doc" Houston

1956-1957 Basketball Scores

Picher	54	Fairland	31
"	44	Afton	34
"	60	Quapaw	37
"	49	Grove	47
"	42	Jay	48
"	55	Commerce	40
"	50	Fariland	43
"	36	Quapaw	31
"	63	Afton	30
"	35	Wyandotte	45
"	39	Wyandotte	48
"	42	Grove	55
"	49	Commerce	39
"	81	Jay	60
Miami Tournament			
Picher	39	Wagoner	35
"	28	Seneca	40
Vinita Tournament			
Picher	45	Dewey	46

Seventh Grade Team and Coach "Doc" Houston

L. to R: Coach Spoon, J. Heatherly, C. Anderson, J. Powell, B. Deatherage, J. Davis, G. Williams, W. Parkison, D. Treece, and L. Heatherly.

Gene Starling
112 Novice, Miami

Jim Carrico
118 Novice, Pryor
Runner-up Awards
Miami-Joplin

'56-'57 Baseball and Track Teams

STANDING: Coach Thompson, Larry Heatherly, Woody Parkison, Jim Heatherly, Barry Damrill, Ernest Brookshire, J. R. Parmer, James Graves. KNEELING: Robert Harper, Tom Houston, Dewayne Treece. Frank Wood, Cecil Anderson, Jerry Powell, and Benny Deatherage.

Miss Pat Carroll

Queen of Band

SENIOR TWIRLERS

QUARTER MASTERS

Brand New State!

Student Conductor . . . .
Burl Lane
President . . . . Jane Smothermon
Vice-President . Pat Mullins
Secretary . . . . Judith Madden
Treasurer . . . . Carolyn Lane
Reporter . . . . . Sonny Green

Brand New State!

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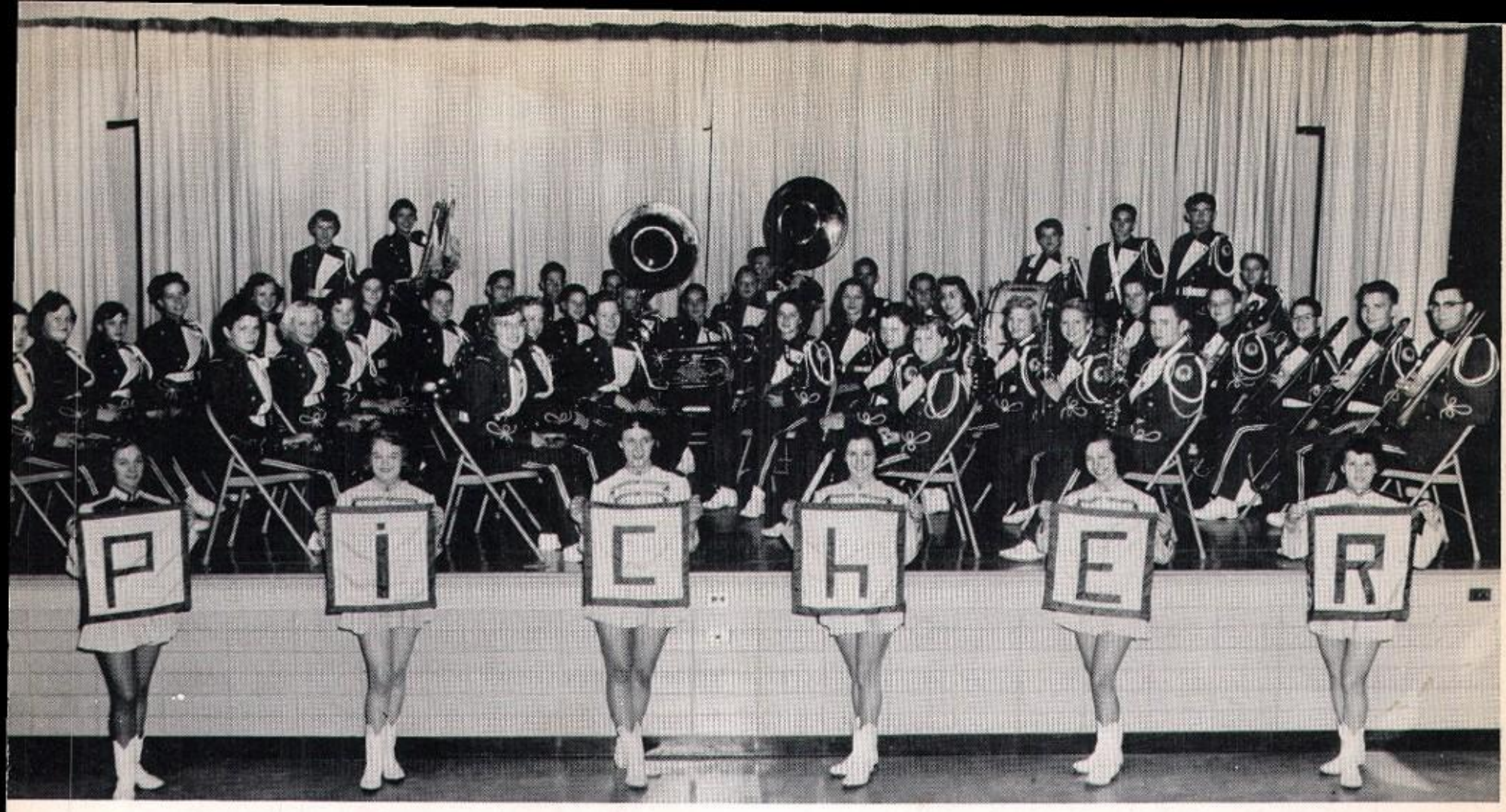
Juanita Stratton
Judith Madden

Miss NORMA RAE EMARTHLA
Honorary Band Queen

CAROLYN LANE
Drum Majorette



CLARINETS: P. Mullins, B. Seat, T. Testerman, P. Luton, G. Turley, D. Richardson, E. Hewkins, V. Montgomery, M. Price, J. Skelton, D. Frogue, D. Box. FLUTES: K. Raunikar, M. Montgomery. BASS CLARINETS: M. Gilmore. SAXOPHONES: B. Lane, P. Osborn, V. Miller, C. Lane, J. Madden. BARITONES: D. Morerod, J. Newberry. CORONETS: B. Powell, L. Skelton, E. Millard, J. Lawrence, C. Romine, J. Green. FRENCH HORNS: C. Millard. TROMBONES: W. Darnell, R. Harrell, G. Williams, R. Masters, J. Cornog. DRUMS: L. McCullough, S. Green, H. Hare, C. Welch. BASSES: H. Hammick, C. Warren. BELLS: N. Emarthla. CYMBOLS: P. Carroll . . . . . P-J. Stratton, I-P. Jackson, C-J. Walkenshaw, H-J. Patterson, E-J. Turley, R-J. Smotherman.

Band

D. Carlin, D. Box, D. Frogue, L. Southworth, L. Murray, J. Testerman, K. Raunikar, D. Harrell, P. Moore, Jr., J. Smith, E. McLain, S. Hewkins, B. Carroll, J. Anderson, S. Kidd, M. Graham, S. Miller, R. Donelson, J. Newberry, A. Osborn, D. Carlin, S. Stockstill, S. Stallsworth, R. Bowerman, F. Morgain, J. Aton, R. Redden, T. Redden, S. Ray, R. Scott, J. Thompson, B. Fenton, R. Yankowski, D. Kline, C. Warren, E. Waters, E. Yankowski, B. Eli, F. Williams.

ROW 1: Karen Williams, Karen Abernathy, Sharon Johnston, Maxine Hayes, Donna Abernathy. ROW 2: Linda Perry, Geraldine Tabor, Carol Ann Green, Patricia Smith, Grace Taylor, Marion Kingfisher. ROW 3: Linda Clanton, Esther Swinehart, Carol Craig, Phyliss Moore, Juanita Wilson. ROW 4: Sandra Damrill, Sharon Stockstill, Ann Peters, Virginia Montgomery, Shirley Delcour, Sheilah Lowery, Judy Peace.

BURL LANE
Senior Sax Solist

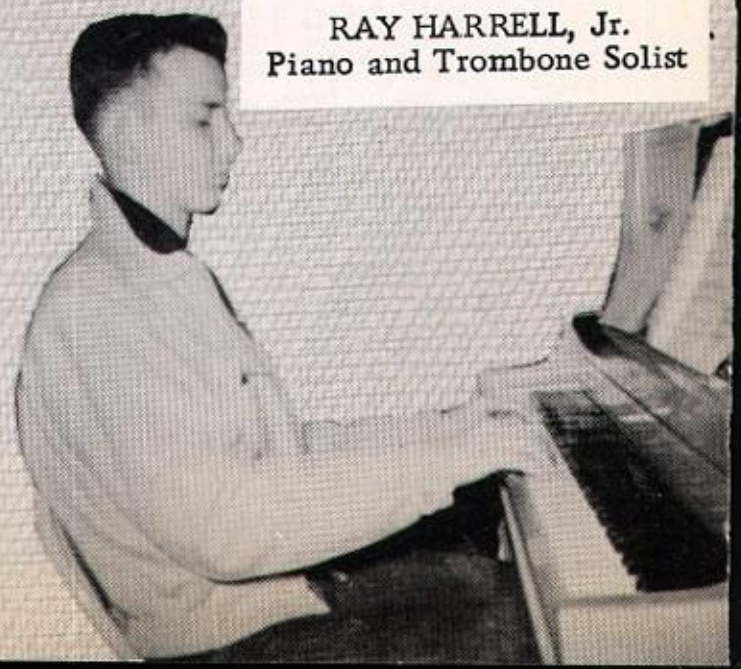
SENIOR BAND MEMBERS
Ward Darnell, Sonny Green, Janice Walkenshaw, Janie Smotherman, Burl Lane.

MAXINE HAYES
Vocal Solist

CAROL ANN GREEN
Vocal Solist

DONNA LOU ABERNATHY
Senior Vocal Solist

RAY HARRELL, Jr.
Piano and Trombone Solist



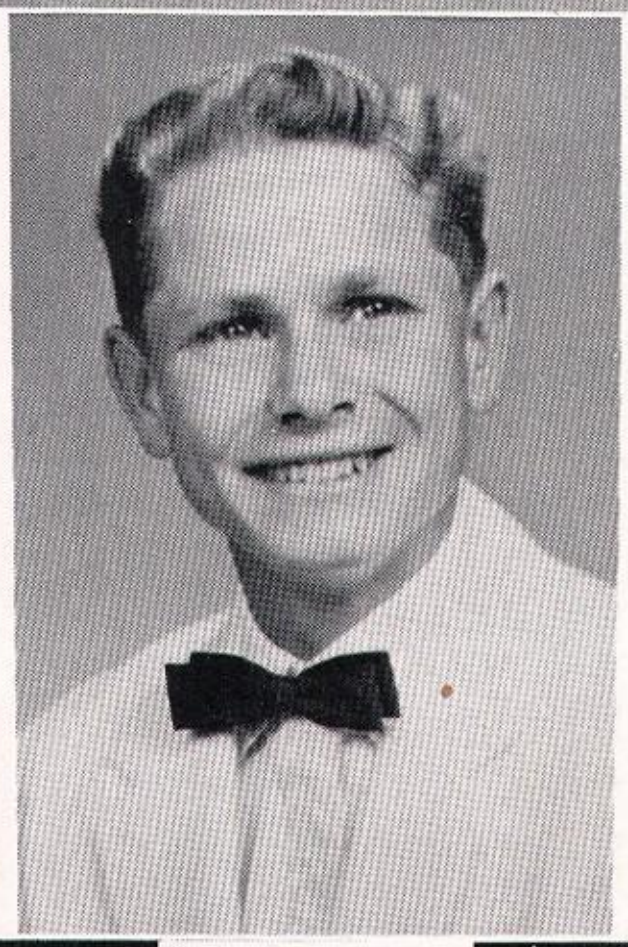
ROW 1: Janice Walkenshaw, Judy Van Volkenburg, Karlene Heatherly, Myrna Walker, Geraldine Setser. ROW 2: Linda Hayworth, Toddy Hayworth, Carol Reed, Wanda O'Dell, Geraldine Kline. ROW 3: Susie Strickland, Sharon Howe, Karen Carnes, Agnes Moore, Carolyn Cook, Gloria Barnett. ROW 4: Alice Mashburn, Lynn Sweeten, Billie Burk, Judy Heuett, Arlena Smith, Virginia Miller. Pianist, Ray Harrell, Jr.

GIRLS SR. HIGH QUARTET
Carol Ann Green, Shirley Delcour, Maxine Hayes, Toddy Hayworth.

Gary Krokroskia, Bill Hassenburg, Gary Garrett, Larry Carmack, Larry Olds, Ronnie Williams, Don Walkenshaw, Ellis Jones, Doug Carnaham, Ronnie Timms, Gary Williams, Jimmy O'Byrne. ROW 2: Gary Brown, Charles Miller, Charles Strickland, George Damrill, Danny Chazell, Tommy O'Byrne, Butch Green, Terry Rector, Kenny Williams, Jim Sharbutt, Bobby Clayborne, George Darnell, Johnny J. Hale. ROW 3: Danny Lee, Larry Linthicum, Roy Dean Motty, Jolly Cox, Joe Carey, Jim Abernathy, Earnie East, David Bigley, Bill Peace, Cecil Burkeybile, Fred Bruner, James Kidd, Charles Pile, Benny Tabor. ROW 4: Gordon Bruton, Bobby Pendleton, Leon Simons, Billie Cox, Raymond Herd, Michel Lee, Richard Smith, Eddie Keheley, Billie Williams, Cork Henry, Paul Palmer, Joe Poor, Richard Barnes, Robert Millard, Pianist, Tony Testerman.

Picher High School Student Council

President . . . . . Johnny Gough
Vice-Pres. . . . Larry Heatherly
Sec'y. . . . . Karen Abernathy



Representatives:
Jr. Class Pres. . . . . Guy Graham
Sr. Class Pres. . . . . Robert Harper
Soph. Class Pres. . . . James Graves
Freshman Pres. . . . Eddie Keheley
8th Grade Pres. . . . Richard Barnes
7th Grade Pres. . . Carol Fogleman
Soph. Student Council Rep. . . . . Donnie Johnson

Student Body President
Johnny Gough

P.T.A. Officers
Pres. . . . . Mrs. Allan Skelton
V-Pres. . . Mrs. Dempsey Ray
Sec'y. . . . . Mrs. D. B. Turley
Treas. . . . Mrs. Delvinia Seat

Tenth Grade Mothers serve P.T.A.

When we chose "The Golden Anniversary of Oklahoma" as the theme for our 1956-1957 Zinco, we were rather at a loss to know how to proceed, until we realized we had, in our community, a historian, Mrs. Genevieve Craig, who has a wealth of information about our state and community. Her knowledge of our state, her composition and ideas have helped immeasurably in making our book a success. We shall always remember her for giving us her time and the use of her talents.

Signed THE ZINCO STAFF

Zinco Staff

Jerry Powell . . . . . Editor
Barbara Anderson . . . . . Assist. Editor
Anna Anderson . . . . . Assist. Editor
Genene Day . . . . . Business Mgr.
Linda Carnes . . . Extra Curricular Mgr.
Don Keheley . . . . . Sports Editor
Dale Smith . . . . . Snap Editor
Frank Wood . . . . . Advertising Mgr.
Carolyn Lane . . . . . Photographer
Ray Harrell . . . . . Photographer
Mrs. Cleo Harrell . . . . . Sponsor

CHAT

SCIENCE CLUB

Mr. Neighbors, Mr. Puryear, and Mr. McMullen organized the Science Club for students interested in Science and Math. The officers are: Pres. David Johnson; V. Pres., Phyliss Moore; Sec'y, Shelia Lowery; Treas. Larry Madden; and Reporter Earnie East.

HIGHEST AWARD IN THE SCOUTS

Lawrence Ralph Leslie, Freshman, brought recognition to his school, family and community by receiving the highest award in the scouts, "The Eagle Scouts Award."

Ralph is senior patrol leader of troop 55, sponsored by the Union Chruch. He joined the Scouts Oct. 22, 1953 and has been a leader in the Flaming Arrow Patrol and chief of Den 2 for 2 years.

He is a member of the Order of the Arrow, highest camping society in scouting and received the "God and Country Award" last Oct. 1956.

GENE STARLING WINS BEST SPORTSMANSHIP TROPHY IN GOLDEN GLOVES TOURNEY AT JOPLIN

BURL LANE AND JUDITH MADDEN WERE CHOSEN TO GO TO NORMAN IN ALL * STATE BAND.

ZINCO CONTEST

The Zinco contest was started Sept. 10. The contestants were as follows:

Seniors-Rayma Smith and Burl Lane

Juniors-Joann Crockett and Barry Damrill

Sophomores-Cindy Montgomery and Gary Williams

Freshman-Bridget Seat and Gary Brown

Eighth-Carol Craig and Richard Green

Seventh-Karen Williams and Richard Masters.

JUNIOR PLAY PRESENTED

This year's Junior Class chose "Little Women" a dramatic-comedy as their play. The play was under direction of Mr. Neighbors, Mr. Raunikar, and Mrs. McLain.

Members of the NEO ALL CONFERENCE football team are: Jerry Powell, Cecil Anderson, Donald Keheley, J. R. Parmer, and Tommy Houston.

JR-HIGH BASKETBALL TEAM WINS TWO TROPHIES AT MIAMI TOURNEY. OVER 5 FT. WON 1st. AND UNDER 5 FT. WON 2nd.

TOM HOUSTON CHOSEN AS ALL DISTRICT.

RAY HARRELL DAY IS BIG SUCCESS

On Friday April 27, 1956, the community of Picher rose en masse to pay tribute to their Superintendent of schools and Number One Citizen, by popular acclaim.

The big day began with assembly in the high school Friday morning. The theme "This is Your Life" was used. Larry Puryear, high school instructor, acted as master of ceremonies.

A crowd lined the streets in the afternoon for the "Ray Harrell Day" parade. Bands, a color guard, floats, scout troops, and other marching groups made up the procession.

The big day was climaxed Friday night in the new grade school auditorium, where a packed house payed tribute to him.

ZINCO ROYALTY DECIDED

The winners of the Zinco contest were as follows: King-Burl Lane; Queen-Rayma Smith; Prince-Richard Masters; Princess-Karen Williams.

CHINK ANDERSON CHOSEN ON 2nd TEAM FOR ALL DISTRICT.

BAXTER LIONS PURR TO GORILLAS

Picher scores first to get the Lion-Gorilla game under way. The game was neck and neck the first half but the gorillas were on top at the end of the second quarter buzzer by the score of 24-22.

The gorillas pulled ahead early in the third quarter, the Lions managed to narrow it down once then the gorillas stayed until the middle of the fourth, when the Lions came up a notch or two. From there the Gorillas took the stand and stayed 4 ahead until the final whistle.

GO TO SPEECH TOURNEY

Eight members of the Speech Class and their teacher, Howard Hudson, went to the Central State Tournament at Edmond, Oklahoma. The students were: Anna Lou Anderson, Barbara Sue Anderson, Jane Smothermon, Susie Woods, Rayma Smith, Don Johnson, Lyndell Smith and Lawrence Mathews.

The Speech class will attend the district speech tournament at Miami on the 5th of March. Later they will go to Tahlequah on 15th, 16th, and 17th of March.

SENIOR PICTURES ARE TAKEN

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL GAMES

The basketball intramurals started Jan. 3. The teams and coaches are:

Liquorbockers-Jim H. and Chink A.

Pistons-Frank W. and Benny D.

Jerlars-Jerry P. and Larry O.

Larons-Larry H. and Ron W.

Lakers-Barry D. and James. G.

THIS IS THE FIRST YEAR WE HAVE EVER ORDERED 445 ZINCOS.

GENENE DAY WINS SECOND PLACE IN DAR GOOD CITIZENSHIP SCHOLARSHIP CONTEST.

T-V BOUGHT BY SCHOOL

T & I CLUB HOLDS INITIATION

FIRST CORONATION OF KING AND QUEEN OF ZINCO WAS IN MAY OF 1956.

PILE

STUDENT COUNCIL RUN-OFFS

Run-off between Jerry Powell and Johnny Gough for Student Body President was held September 12.
Johnny Gough won by a small margin.

SHARON STOCKSTILL WINS AN ESSAY CONTEST ENTITLED "WHAT MY HOME TOWN MEANS TO ME."

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA CLUB, Mrs. HANNA SPONSOR.

OLD AUDITORIUM MADE NEW

The T & I Carpentry class extended and completely remodeled the stage. New velveteen curtains are being hung on the stage. Two dressing rooms and a projection booth have been built in the balcony. New seats have been put in. The boys, by doing the work themselves, have saved the school approximately $2500 on labor. We are really proud of our auditorium now.

T & I SWEETHEART CONTEST

The T & I Sweetheart Contest started Jan. 22. The contestants were Anna Lou Anderson for T & I Carpentry and Shirley Woods for T & I.
Shirley Wood won the contest and all proceeds will go to send the boys to Oklahoma City.

RINGS SELECTED

The Juniors selected their rings for this year.

Mr. HOOS TAKES Mrs. NEIGHBORS PLACE AS TYPING II TEACHER.

CONNIE BLACK WINS "Miss MERRY CHRISTMAS" TITLE.

BO SPOON TAKES OVER 4th HOUR DRIVERS TRAINING

ZINCO SWEATERS

The Seniors on the Zinco staff ordered their sweaters for the year. Those receiving them were Jerry Powell, Dale Smith, Don Keheley, Genene Day, and Linda Carnes.

SOPHOMORE FLOAT WINS FIRST PRIZE IN HOMECOMING PARADE

GRADE SCHOOL IS TO BE INCLUDED IN ZINCO FOR FIRST TIME.

PLASTIC COVERS FOR ZINCO AT ADDED COST OF 25 CENTS ARE BOUGHT.

POLIO SHOTS

Polio shots were given to students Jan. 28, 29 and Feb. 2.

SENIORS SELECT ANNOUNCEMENTS

INITIATION

Sophomore initiation was held Friday September 11, 1956 in the auditorium. All Students were allowed to attend.

MARKS 20 YEARS AS P. H. S. JANITOR

Ed Carson has completed 20 years as janitor at P.H.S. and his efficience is just as remarkable after 20 yrs.
Mr. Carson is very well liked by P.H.S. students and faculty.
Mrs. Morris has also been added to the staff of custodians.

EDITOR OF FIRST CHAT PILE

Mrs. Genevieve Stovall Craig is to be commended on her great writing ability. She is the person who established the Chat Pile.
She was only an eighth-grader at the time (1924) and became the first editor of the Chat Pile; the first school paper at Picher High.

JOCKEY

Dickie Barnett has brought honor and attention to his school and town as one of the most outstanding jockies in this area.
He started racing when he was eleven years old. One of his most outstanding races was at Miami when he won most outstanding jockey for the year. Financially, his most outstanding race was at Sedalia Mo. where he won a race amounting to $1,000.

ZINCO STAFF PLANS DINNER FOR ZINCO ROYALTY AND ATTENDANTS AT BEN STANLEYS AFTER LAST DEAD-LINE.

4-H MEETING

A 4-H Meeting was held 3rd hour, Tuesday morning, January 28th., 1957.

The meeting was held to elect new officers. Those officers are as follows:
President: Robert Harper
Vice Pres.: Larry Millard
Secretary: Joan Crockett
Treasurer: Johnny Richardson
Song Leader: Ray Harrell, Jr.
Pianist: Pat Mullins
Representative: Dale Smith

They sang 3 songs and was then dismissed to go to lunch.

HOWARD HUDSON TAKES PLACE ON TEACHER STAFF AS NEW SPEECH TEACHER.

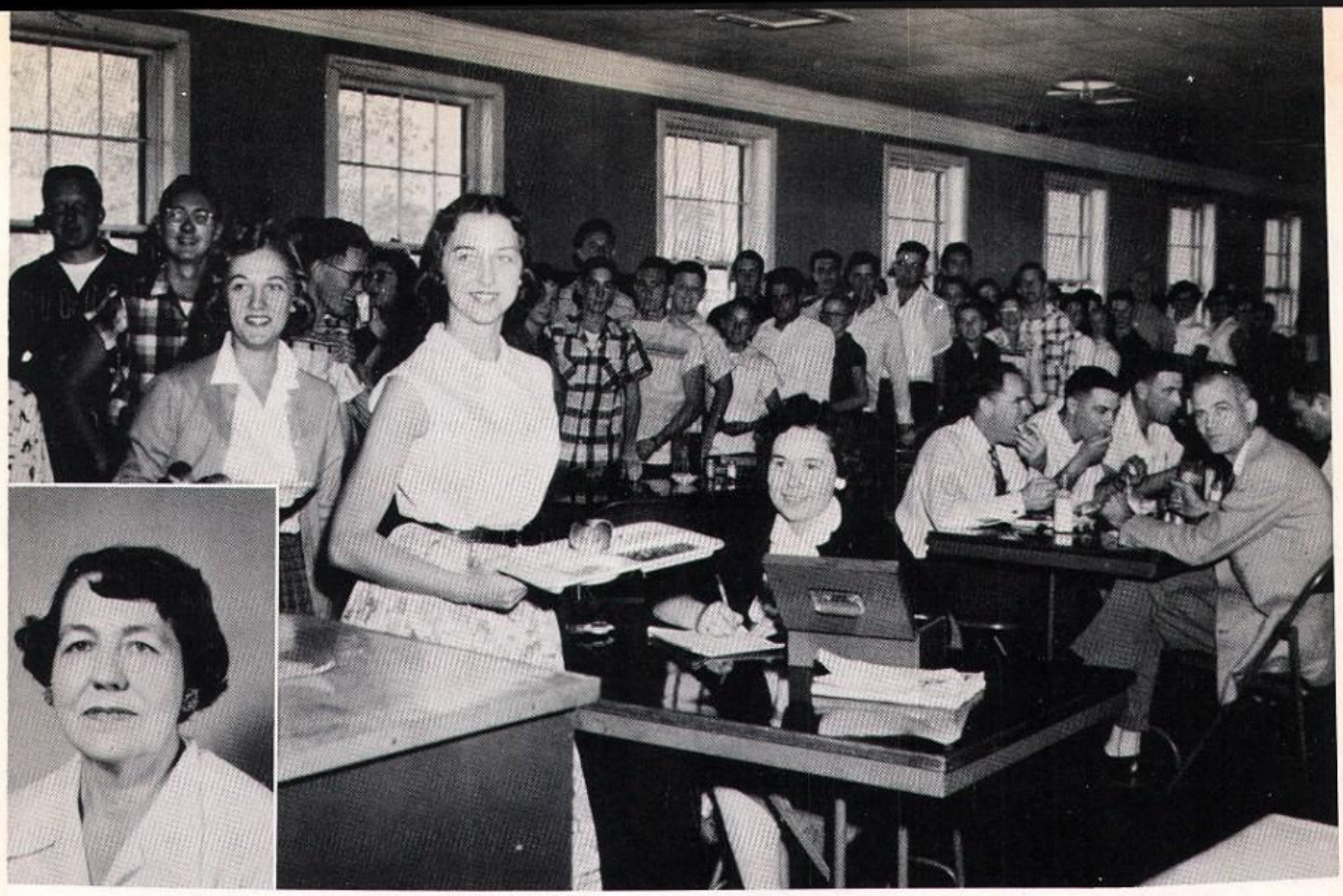
ZINCO PARTY

The Zinco Staff celebrated New Year's Eve with a party in the Zinco room.
Members of the staff each brought a guest. They were Larry Carnes, previous editor of the year, Elizabeth Graves, Jim Heatherly, Bob Glover, Judy Patterson, and Mrs. Helen Carnes.

TOM HOUSTON CHOSEN ALL DISTRICT IN FOOTBALL.

JIM CARRICO, JOHNNY GOUGH AND GENE STARLING ALL WIN JACKETS IN TOURNEY.

GARY WILLIAMS WINS FIRST THREE FIGHTS AND GETS TO FINALS IN GOLDEN GLOVES AT JOPLIN.



The above picture is a scene you will see every day in the Picher High Cafeteria, due to the efficient care of Mrs. Margaret Stratton. (Insert) The pictures on this page portray the Sophomore Initiation into the High School by the Seniors. At the left is Jack Beggs and Judy Henson. On the right is a scene from the Initiation Assembly. Below: Patsy Bryan, Freda Shaffer, Jeanette Crockett and Martha Dunning take it with a smile. Patsy Shipman is just getting some "shoe polish". Bud Wolfe and Mary Gilmore look as if they are "done in."

School Life

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At the top are scenes from the 1955-56 Junior-Senior Banquet. The King and Queen of the "Mardi Gras", which was the theme, were Harold Jones and Kay Cox. SECOND ROW: The Coronation Assembly of the 1955-56 Zinco King and Queen. They were Robert Harper and Jane Smotherman. Prince and Princess were Larry Linthicum and Judy Van Volkenberg. Jeanne Aton is shown presenting a Zinco to Mr. & Mrs. Paul Douthitt, to whom it was dedicated. BELOW: The 1956-57 Zinco King and Queen and Attendants. The King and Queen are Burl Lane and Rayma Smith. Johnny Gough is shown with Ralph Leslie, on the day of the Inaugaration of Johnny as Student Body President. The other snaps are of the Zinco staff at the annual Zinco Christmas Party.

4-H Club

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Secretary . . . . . JoAnn Crockett
Treasurer . . . . . Johnny Richardson
Reporter . . . . . Dale Smith
Song Leader . . . . . Ray Harrell, Jr.
Pianist . . . . . Pat Mullins
Sponsors . . . . . Mrs. Willo McLain
Mr. Fred Osborne

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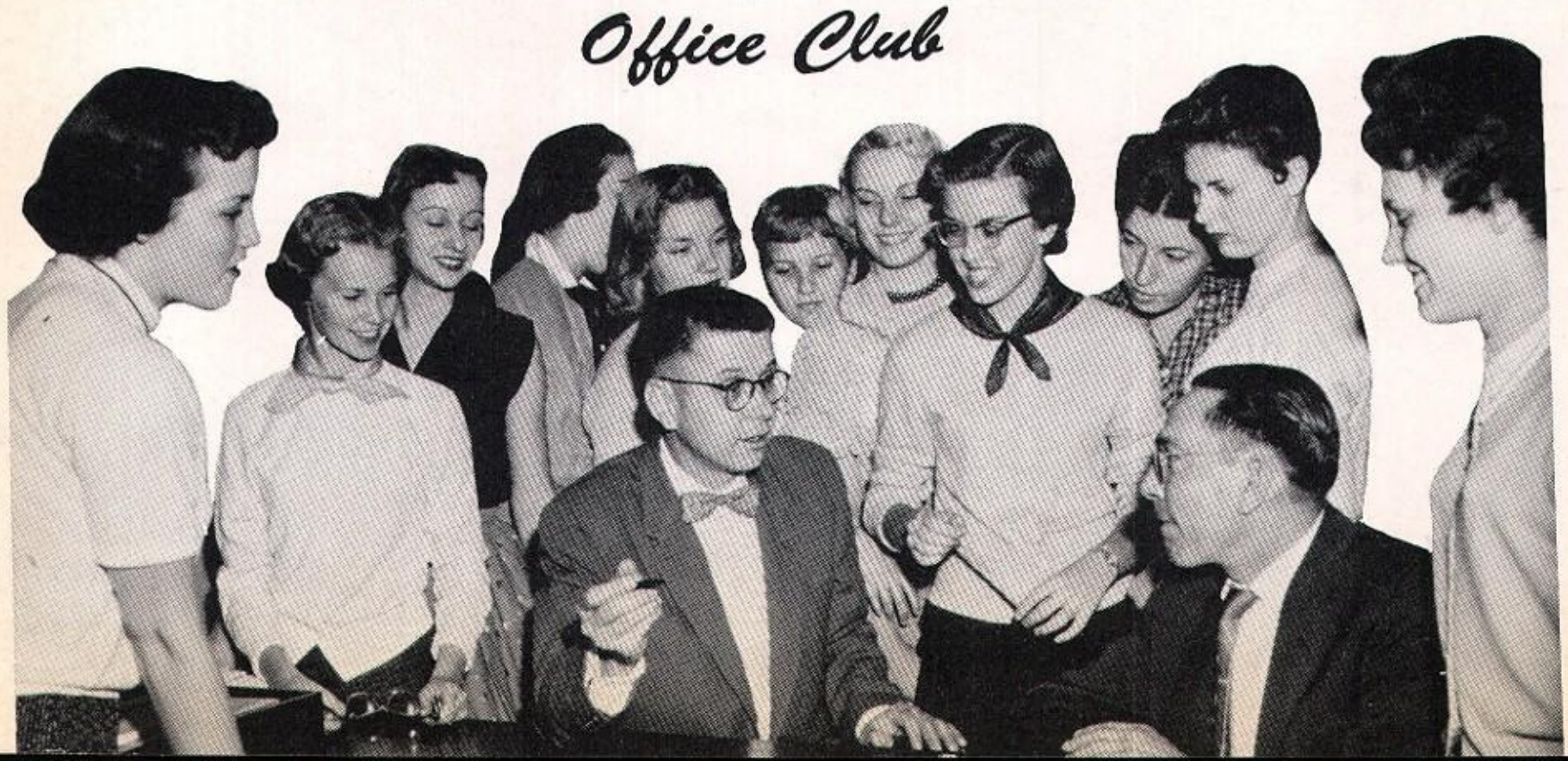
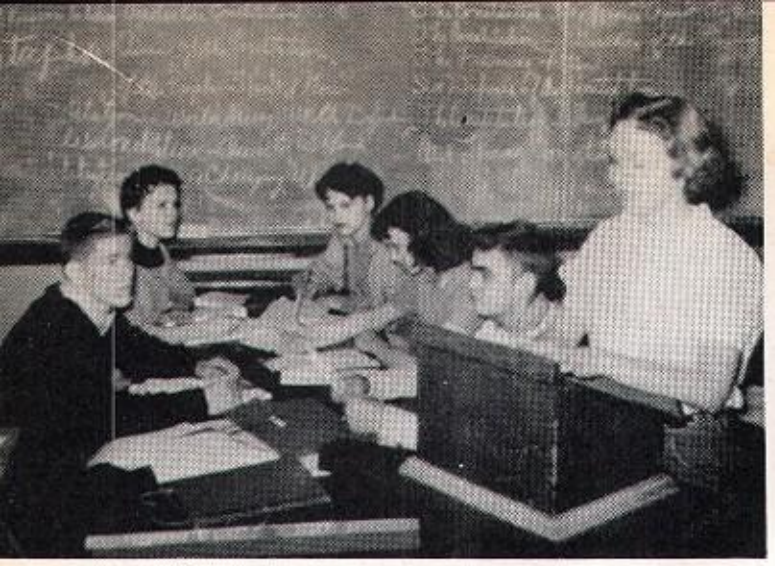


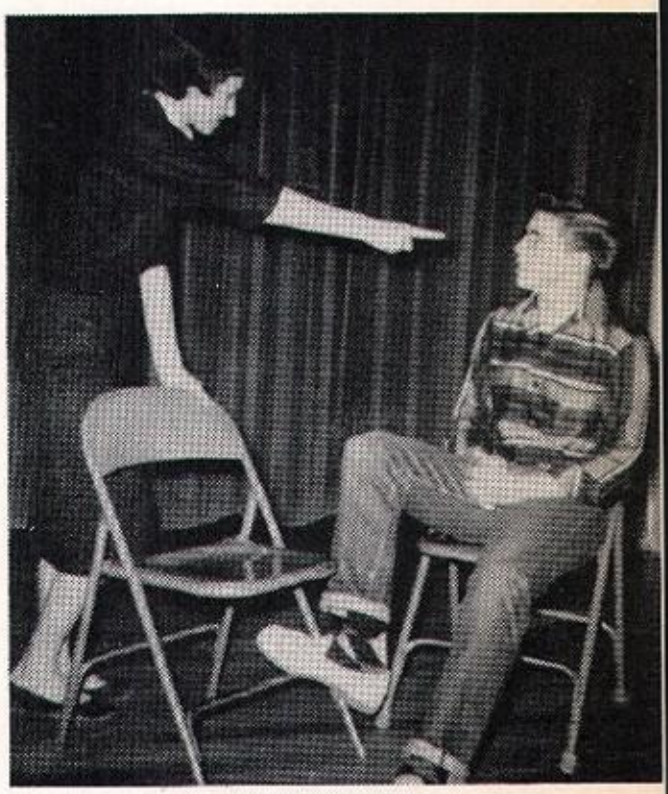


"The Man in the Bowler Hat"
Ward Darnell, Bill Peters, Myrna Walker, Johnny Gough, Jerry Hulvey, and Willis Buck, Zina Shipman not in picture.

Debators

"The Night Shall Pass"
Lawrence Matthews, Rayma Smith, and Donnie Johnson.

Speech



"Air Tight Aliby"
Janice Walkenshaw and Everett Green

"Little Women"

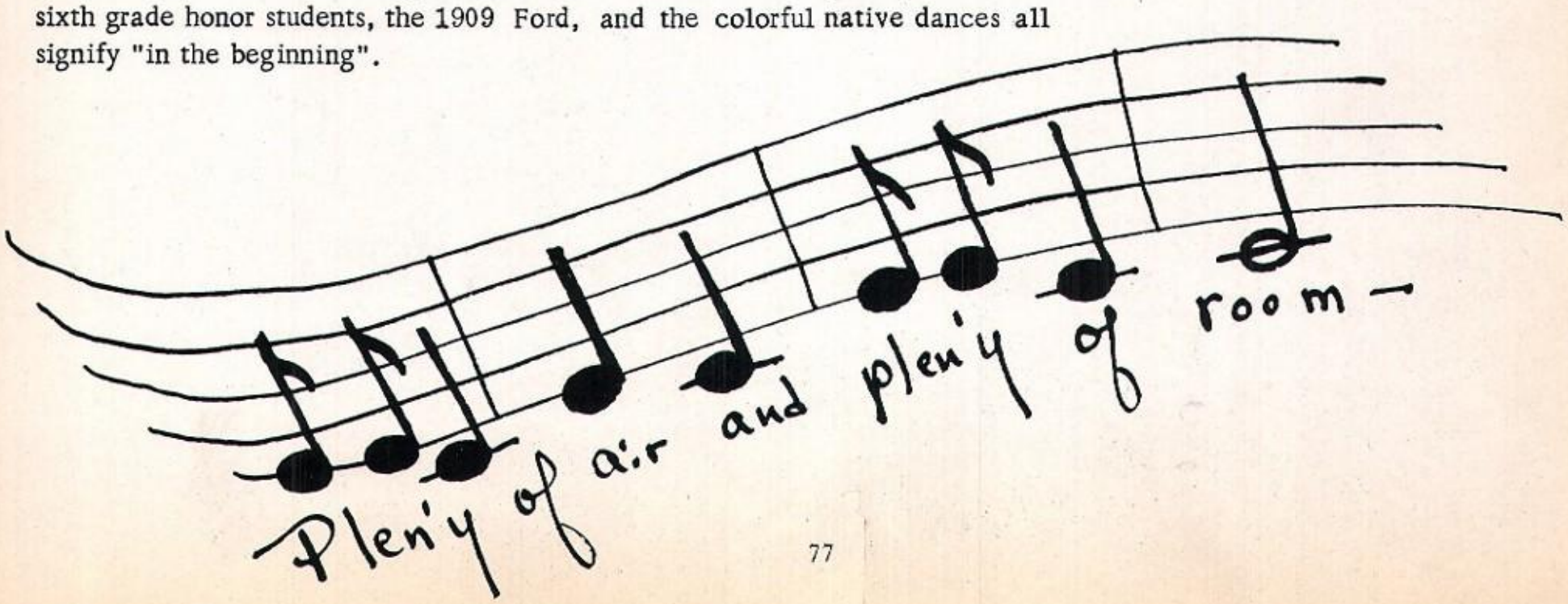
Presented by
Junior Class
December 6, 7, 1956

Anna Lue Anderson
Barbara Anderson
June Pierce
Kathryn Miller
Zina Wilkerson
Carol Ann Green
Susie Strickland
Carol Reed
Bertha Tabor

Book Four

The Grades

Its name meaning "people red" from the Choctaw, our state has been identified with this proud and courageous race from its beginning as Indian reservations, then as twin territories, Indian six elementary grades as stepping stones to our junior-senior high school. Mr. Harold Jones as principal and the sixth grade honor students, the 1909 Ford, and the colorful native dances all signify "in the beginning".



BACK ROW (left to right)--Richard Wheeler, Marilyn Stallsworth, Roy Redden, Emma Lou McLain, Danny Hopkins, Mary Montgomery, Debra Frogue, William Wilson, Haydenna Brown, Jack Green, Susie Crawford, Jerry Karnes, Connie Gerhart, and Stevie Hopkins. FRONT ROW--Billy Southard, Rebecca Alexander, Jackie Ray, Vickie Forcum, David Hasseberg, Janice Meeks, Jimmy Aton, Ricky Thompson, George Hall, King Danny Romine, Queen Linda Sue Miller, Rayma Smith, Penny Turley, Judy Nowlin, Gloria Jean Adkins, Larry Kelley, Beverly Moore, Danny Hopkins, Delynda Jones, Mike Stratton.

Grade-School King and Queen of Zinco

Little Miss [illegible] Miller and
Little [illegible] ny Romine

L. Williams D. Shaffer M. Sedberry B. King L. Eli R. Rigg D. Tibbett C. Casteel J. Jester

L. Heuett W. Wilson C. Darnell A. Keithley C. Darnell C. Warren D. Frogue R. Turner

L. Sooter J. Brookshire W. Tibbett B. Swinehart A. Jones B. Claborn E. Williams

P. Russell
Teacher
6th Grade

J. Smith D. Hasseberg L. Stansel D. Harrell

Sixth Grade

C. H. Kerr
Teacher
6th Grade

K. O. Horine B. Carroll H. Canady S. Mathews

H. Brown K. Fisher P. Henry B. Hayworth D. Simmons F. Williams L. Cox

B. Hames L. Keheley L. Wolfe R. Boyd B. Bruner P. Crow B. Reeves I. M. Couch

E. Green L. Morgan J. Green R. Scott W. Howard T. Dolbow R. Eli D. Hayes

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M. Price D. Dixon W. Waters B. Fenton D. Hawkins J. Thompson T. Moore J. Kerby

D. Box C. Herd M. Montgomery F. Dunning C. Skieth H. Welch J. Anderson

J. Stewart N. Pathkiller L. Brookshire E. Anderson C. Taylor

E. Hoos
Teacher
Sixth Grade

Grade School Kitchen

Fifth Grade

E. Yankowski E. Clinton C. Mathews M. Ramsey

A. Hail
Teacher
Fifth Grade

J. Ware L. Trease R. Phillips C. Akin R. Horton J. Spoon R. Vicory L. Southworth

F. Morgan S. Wilson B. Carnes B. Francis D. Turley A. Hall G. Arnold G. Madison L. Copeland

F. Anderson J. Buck P. Cox F. Williams D. Dollison F. Von Moss J. Nowlin G. Chazell S. Cutbirth

R. Sigle S. Cooper R. Williams J. Patrick W. Pathkiller S. Hewkins R. Bowerman B. Darnell

C. Lee C. Small L. Breeden J. Aton R. Heatherly C. Hopper F. Fisher

Luella Woodall
Teacher
5th Grade

O. Maute H. Miner S. Cole

Fifth Grade

Georgie Cronk
Teacher
5th Grade

S. Potter

V. Parker D. Carlin L. Murray D. Carlin M. Moore D. Sharp M. Tabor

D. Abernathy R. Heatherly E. McLain T. Watson M. Couch D. Collins C. Hughes

P. Frith J. Yost De Lapp W. Long K. Raunikar D. McGowen M. Graham P. Herd E. Johnston

J. Dolbow L. McMackin M. Duggan J. Digley M. McHurin K. Sharbutt R. Ware I. Potts C. Hopkins

T. Timpy V. Miller S. Hassell G. Moore S. Stallsworth D. Giles D. Ramsey R. Wheeler

J. Kerr J. Taber P. Mitchel J. Holderfield B. Reece L. Vandiver L. Kerby

J. Peters R. Smith L. Wiseman J. Willis

Vera Wood
4th Grade
Teacher

Fourth Grade

J. Lowery A. Osborn T. Musgrave L. Irwin

Virginia Irwin
4th Grade
Teacher

L. Sooter C. Howard R. Stovall D. Sheppard S. Garrett J. Karnes R. Yankowski

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F. Davis L. Gilliam H. Allen T. Redden J. Cole S. Ray S. Crawford W. Smith D. Green

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M. Urie S. Hopkins J. Roberts C. VanVolkenburg G. Hutchens D. Wilson M. Pathkiller

L. Raouls
Teacher
4th Grade

J. Scott A. Hayes F. Eli M. Nichols P. Pathkiller

Third Grade

F. Darnell
Teacher
3rd Grade

L. Thomas G. Craig J. Schmitt T. Hutchens M. Osborne R. Thompson

D. Mathews P. Turley J. Lopez E. Martin H. Casteel N. Morgan C. Fogleman

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L. Karnes W. Bogard J. Shinn J. Stansel C. Minor T. Kidd L. Spoon E. Whittenback M. Wiseman

L. Smith C. J. Atkinson M. Enlow S. Spencer G. McGuire L. Potts L. Trease C. McBride

V. Odom E. Ussery M. Buck E. Copeland B. Boyd D. Hasseberg J. Meeks

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Mrs. J. Colvin
Teacher
3rd Grade

Third Grade

Mrs. D. Miller
Teacher
3rd Grade

S. Thomas J. Busby A. Dunning

E. Millard D. Darnell S. Waters J. Millard V. Poor T. Green A. Morang

D. Romine J. Holderfield B. Hasler S. Tyree S. Timpy S. Miller G. Pace J. Zinn

S. Arnold L. Stallsworth S. Von Moss D. Belden S. Smith J. Mott S. Green F. Wilson M. Koontz

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Ruth McGehee
2nd Grade
Teacher

S. DuBois C. Dement C. Vicory R. Cutbirth N. Moore G. Adkins

Second Grade

Lucille Bullock
2nd Grade
Teacher

V. Peoples T. Pathkiller R. Carnes D. Roberts J. Wilson C. Searcy

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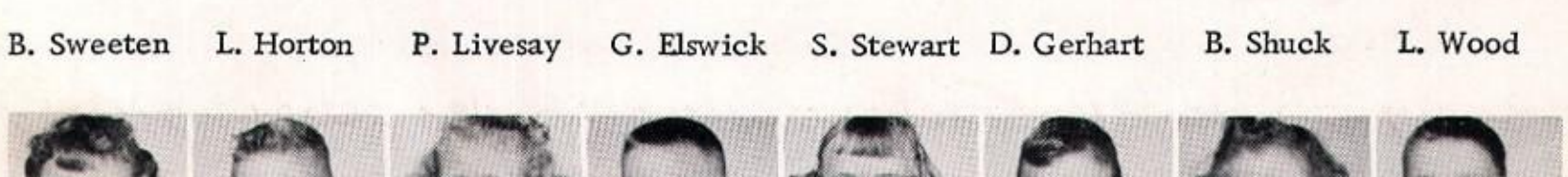

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R. Williams G. Miller S. Tabor S. Pace M. Perry C. Anderson E. Hile D. Francis M. Tunnell

C. Tabor D. Easter P. Patrick J. Ray L. Bowling R. Herd L. Hilliard D. Holderfield

E. Swinehart J. Judd G. McGuire L. Bogard J. Smith V. Forcum R. Whitney

C. Burk L. Garner T. Carnahan J. Turner C. Thomas C. Warren K. Wilson

Nora Daugherty
2nd Grade
Teacher

First Grade

Lorene Spencer
1st Grade
Teacher

C. Cummins T. Lopez P. Buttram J. Redden K. Boyd J. Burns G. Garner

C. Timpy M. Stratton J. Easter B. Sargent T. Peter J. Pathkiller J. Morgan

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B. Lawrence E. Alexander D. Fenton J. Williams B. Ware H. Stovall L. Eli

G. Douthitt
Teacher
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J. Smith D. Danley D. Richardson J. Willis

First grade

A. Testerman
Teacher
1st Grade

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ALUMNI

	OCCUPATION	HOME ADDRESS
1956		
Walter Atkinson	Clerk	Picher, Oklahoma
Jeanne Aton	Student at Miami	Picher, Oklahoma
Larry Carnes	Student at O.U.	Picher, Oklahoma
Kaye Cox	Bookkeeper	Picher, Oklahoma
Betty Coach	Clerk	Picher, Oklahoma
Jackie Crice	Student at Talequah	Picher, Oklahoma
Woodrow Grayson	Employed by Turnpike	Picher, Oklahoma
Dixie Graham	Secretary	Santa Rosa, California
Elizabeth Graves	Student at Talequah	Picher, Oklahoma
Randall Howard	U.S. Postal Clerk	Picher, Oklahoma
Anna Hare	Clerk	Picher, Oklahoma
Mickey Laramore	Student at Miami	Picher, Oklahoma
Leroy Martin	Student at O.M.A.	Picher, Oklahoma
Robert Murdock	Clerk	Picher, Oklahoma
Peggy Mullins	Student at Talequah	Picher, Oklahoma
Carol Sue Moore	Student at Miami	Picher, Oklahoma
Kay Red	Student at Miami	Picher, Oklahoma
Norma Wilder	Student at Miami	Picher, Oklahoma
1955		
Margaret Carroll	Student at Miami	Picher, Oklahoma
Bill Montgomery	Air Force	Denver, Colorado
Ernest Patterson	Air Corps	Amarillo, Texas
Lola Mae Parkison Patton	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Carolyn Sanders	Student at Miami	Cardin, Oklahoma
Deloris Peace Taylor	Housewife	Wapato, Washington
1954		
Leslie Ann Aton	Student at Pittsburg	Picher, Oklahoma
Jimmy Coble	Service Station	Picher, Oklahoma
Beverly Cox	Junior College at Miami	Picher, Oklahoma
Colleen Johnson Daugherty	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Quincy Daugherty	Continential Can Co.	Picher, Oklahoma
Earline Rowe Gahazan	Housewife	Joplin, Mo.
Leroy Harper	Navy	Washington D. C.
Norma Jean Hodge	Business College Miami	Picher, Oklahoma
Herman Horn	Occupation Unknown	Hemet, California
Marlene Leffler		Picher, Oklahoma
John Miller	Student at Stillwater	Picher, Oklahoma
Patricia Wagner Pollard	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Orville Stockstill, Jr.	Auto Plant Worker	Peru, Indiana
1953		
Richard Baker	Roots Mfg. Co.	Quapaw, Oklahoma
Shirley Jockers Collins	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Joyce Cox	Secretary	Picher, Oklahoma
Tom Donelson	Student at Miami	Picher, Oklahoma
Bill Forrest	Machinist	Kansas City, Kansas
Janet Graham	Librarian	Santa Rosa, Calif.
Paul Grayson	Turnpike Worker	Picher, Oklahoma
Mary Belle Bowerman Johnston	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Patty Johnson LaFalier	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Betty Miner Peterson	Housewife	Commerce, Oklahoma
Alene Hadden Sweeten	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Pat Sweeten	Telephone Operator	Picher, Oklahoma
Ron Walker	Army	Worms, Germany
Harry Zoblotsky	Student at O.U.	Norman, Oklahoma
1952		
Pat Baker	Secretary	Picher, Oklahoma
Sally Price Conway	Housewife	Casper, Wyoming
Von Dell Crockett	Telephone Operator	Picher, Oklahoma
Jack Johnston	Clerk	Picher, Oklahoma
Grace Sanders McMullin	Housewife	Cardin, Oklahoma
Patsy Perry Sweeten	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Donald Walker		Picher, Oklahoma
1951		
Sue McLain Delmona	Housewife	Cardin, Oklahoma
Lilah Ruth McWethy Foster	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Patsy Parkison Huffman	Housewife	Cardin, Oklahoma
Virginia Drake Holmes	Teacher	Commerce, Oklahoma
Barbara Vickrey Webb	Housewife	Wichita, Kansas
Rae Ann Zoblotsky Solomon	Housewife	Seminole, Oklahoma
1950		
Barbara Ann Graham	Teacher	Santa Rosa, California
Margaret Southworth Horton	Payroll Clerk	Picher, Oklahoma
Merlyn Johnson Mantle	Housewife	Commerce, Oklahoma
Frank Sanders	Student A & M Stillwater	Picher, Oklahoma
1949		
Danny Joe Becker	Student O.U.	Miami, Oklahoma
Bobby Gene Crockett	Employed in Iowa	Cedar Rapids, Iowa
Anna June Lewis Hinkle	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Clara Jean Marquiss	Sales Clerk	Picher, Oklahoma
1948		
Claude Best	Goodrich Employee	Picher, Oklahoma
Delores Stockstill Barnett	Housewife	Peru, Indiana
Norma Sue McGehee Coble	Housewife	Sapulpa, Oklahoma
Lois Jones Harryman	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Ida Rose Walker Hawthorne	Housewife	Kansas City, Kansas
Deloris Timms	Secretary	Picher, Oklahoma
Kenneth Voyles	Air Force	Munich, Germany
Margaret Donelson White	Housewife	Douthat, Oklahoma
1947		
LaVaughn Anderson Beer	Housewife	Miami, Oklahoma
Don Coble	Mortician	Sapulpa, Oklahoma
Bill Hinkle	Mgr. of Safeway	Picher, Oklahoma
Ladell Morgan	Chief of Police	Picher, Oklahoma
Leroy Shuck	Electrician	Oregon
Roy Vandiver	Mill Worker	Picher, Oklahoma
1946		
Gene Huffman	Bookkeeper	Picher, Oklahoma
Charlotte Mott Rimmer	Grocery Store Prop.	Picher, Oklahoma
Oletta Ruth Shuck	Housewife	Kellogg, Idaho
1945		
Virginia Hance Box	Insurance Agent	Commerce, Oklahoma
Ruth Kelly Claybaugh	Housewife	Denham Springs
1944		
Virginia Jones Frisbie	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Dixie Carroll Johnson	Housewife	Kansas City, Kansas
Alvin Lane	Funeral Supply Salesman	Denver, Colorado
Betty Jennings Morgan	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Bill Myers	Disc Jockey	Colorado Springs, Colo.
Robert Thompson	Teacher	Picher, Oklahoma
1943		
Kathryn Horine	Bookkeeper	Picher, Oklahoma
Bessie Howerton Jones	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Edith Beam Lane	Clerk at Courthouse	Picher, Oklahoma
Louise Howe Perry	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Richard Russell	Doctor	New Orleans, Louisiana
1942		
John Carroll	Editor	Kansas City, Kansas
Lauren Johnson	Goodrich Employee	Picher, Oklahoma
Harold Jones		Picher, Oklahoma
Basil Meek	Clerk	Picher, Oklahoma
Mary Francis Ber / Osborne	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Bessie Lee Craig Voyles	Housewife	Munich, Germany
1941		
Imogene Kelley	Secretary	Picher, Oklahoma
Manuel Koronis	Pharmacist	Picher, Oklahoma
Bob Lollar	State Rep.	Picher, Oklahoma
1939		
Lee Audrey Ramsey Garrett	Housewife	Commerce, Oklahoma
Lucille Jennings		Picher, Oklahoma
Helen Johnson Sigle	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
1938		
Treva Smith Carnahan	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Harold Sigle	Atlas Powder Co.	Picher, Oklahoma
1937		
Wayne Delcour	Salesman	Picher, Oklahoma
Paul Beanie Johnson	Stock Clerk	Joplin, Mo.
Frances Jennings Jones	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
1936		
Ernest Allen Courington	Teacher	Longview, Texas
Bertha Truesdell Johnson	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Rita Lightfoot Montgomery	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
1935		
Russell Colvin	Teacher	Wichita, Kansas
Mona Jean Russell Edmond	Lawyer	Tulsa, Oklahoma
Mable Phillips Irwin	Housewife	Baxter Springs, Kansas
Bill Montgomery	Vickers Employee	Picher, Oklahoma
Austiphine Parmer Moore	Housewife	Miami, Oklahoma
1934		
Catherine Jennings Montgomery	Teacher	Picher, Oklahoma
Bob Montgomery	Mill Worker	Picher, Oklahoma
Lucille Webb Windham	Housewife	Baxter Springs, Kansas
1933		
Edna Dye Comba	Housewife	Princeton, Illinois
Clarence "Doc" Houston	Teacher	Picher, Oklahoma
1931		
Irma Morton Dye	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Pauline Post Leffler	Works at Co. Treasurer	Picher, Oklahoma
Juanita Washington Smith	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Carter Windham	Store Keeper	Baxter Springs, Kansas
1930		
Dorothy Cornwall Hayman		Coffeyville, Kansas
1929		
Rosa Owens Eilestein	Librarian	Miami, Oklahoma
Edith White Harper	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
Hale Irwin	Salesman	Baxter Springs, Kansas
John Leffler	R & L Cleaners	Picher, Oklahoma
Macy Ferguson Reed	Insurance Agent	Picher, Oklahoma
Hazel Simmons Todd	Government Worker	Washington, D. C.
1928		
Velma Daniels Becker	Post Mistress	Cardin, Oklahoma
Billie Marie Kerr Douthitt	Teacher	Picher, Oklahoma
Ruby Lollar Graham	Reporter	Picher, Oklahoma
Lucinda Montgomery Kemph	Housekeeper	Miami, Oklahoma
C. H. Kerr	Teacher	Miami, Oklahoma
1927		
Nora Baker Hunter	Funeral Director	Picher, Oklahoma
Willo McLain	Teacher	Picher, Oklahoma
Glen Humphrey Nelson		Racine, Mo.
Floyd E. Wood	Branch Mgr.	Picher, Oklahoma
1926		
Mildred Humphrey Aton	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
1925		
Bea Marquiss Stanley	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma
1924		
George D. Russell	Judge	Miami, Oklahoma
1923		
Naomi Jennings Mott	Housewife	Picher, Oklahoma

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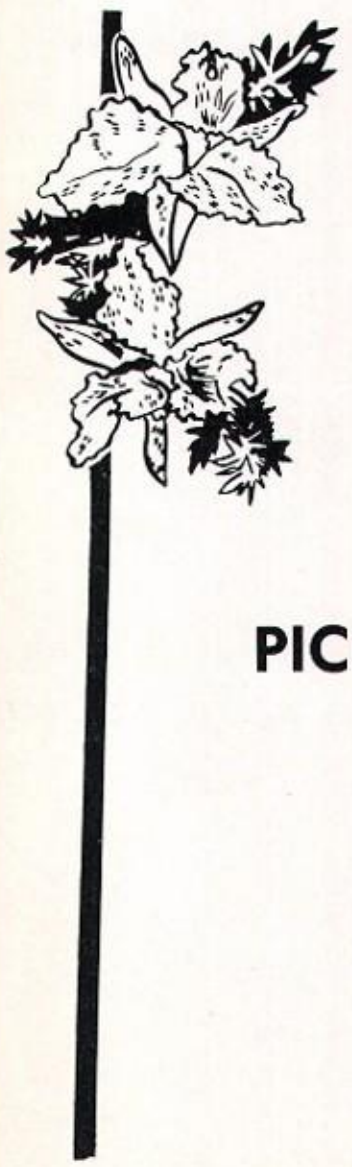

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BAXTER SPRINGS, KANSAS

At the close of business December 31, 1956

RESOURCES

Loans		$1,110,359.81
Overdrafts		63.79
Federal Reserve Bank Stock		6,000.00
Banking House		1.00
Furniture and Fixtures		1.00
Other Real Estate		1.00
U. S. Bonds	$3,122,529.38	
Other Bonds	718,599.30	
Cash, and Due From Banks	1,309,044.11	5,150,172.79
		$6,266,599.39

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock–Common	$ 100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	173,093.52
Reserves	43,000.00
Interest (Collected but not earned)	17,953.98
Deposits	5,832,551.89
	$6,266,599.39

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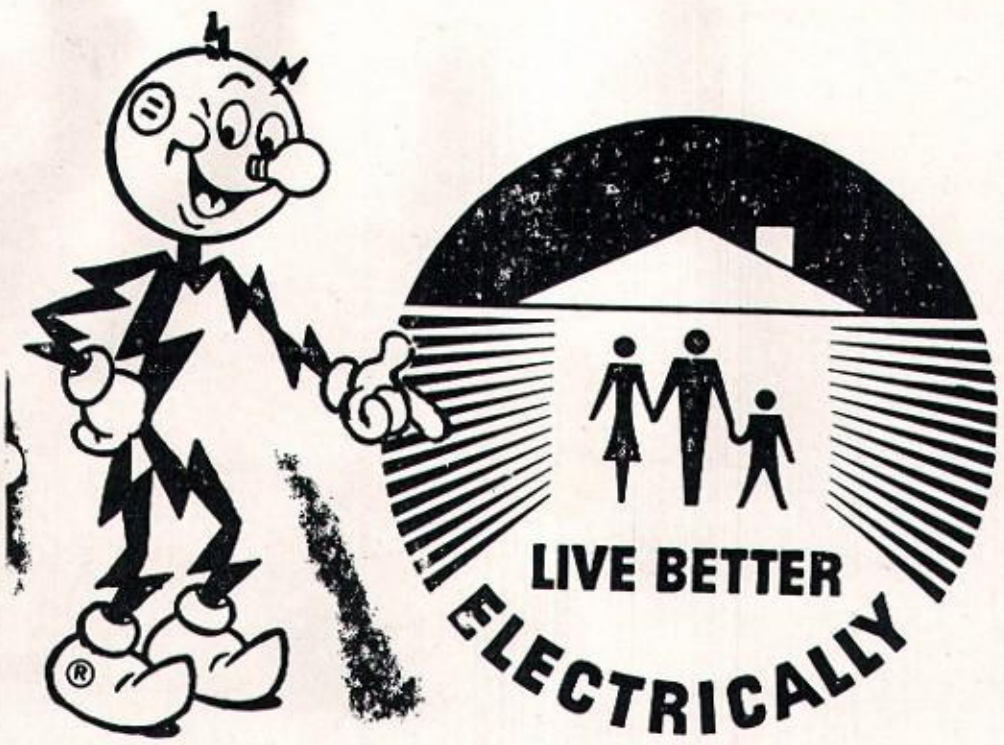

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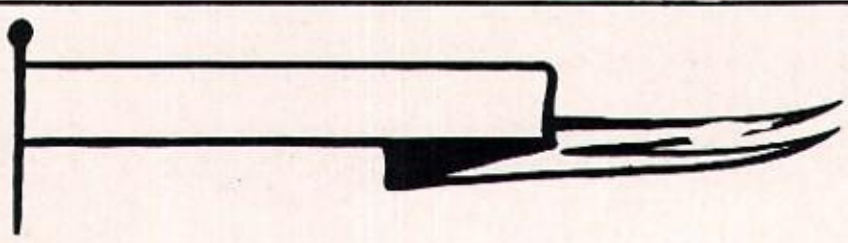

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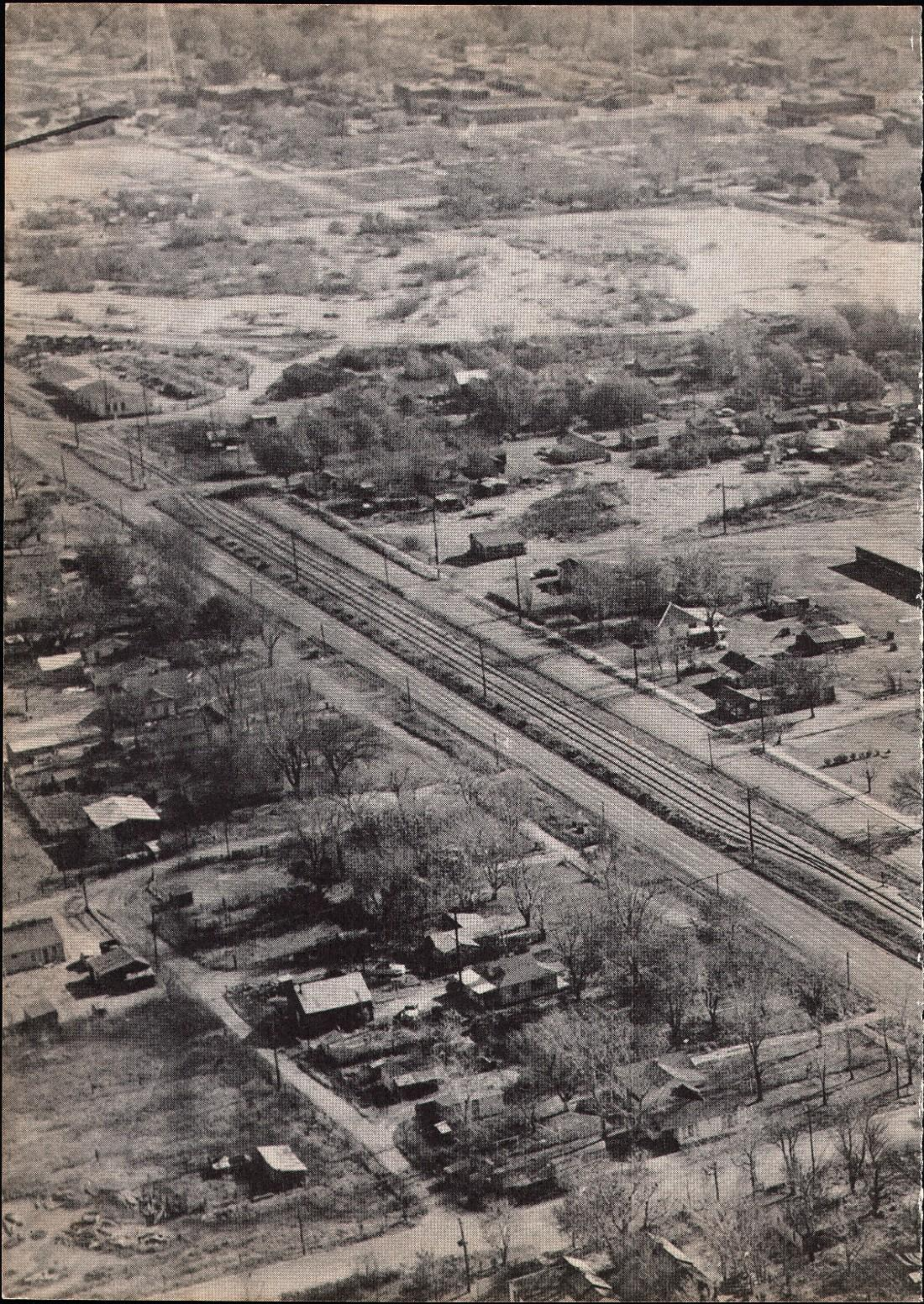

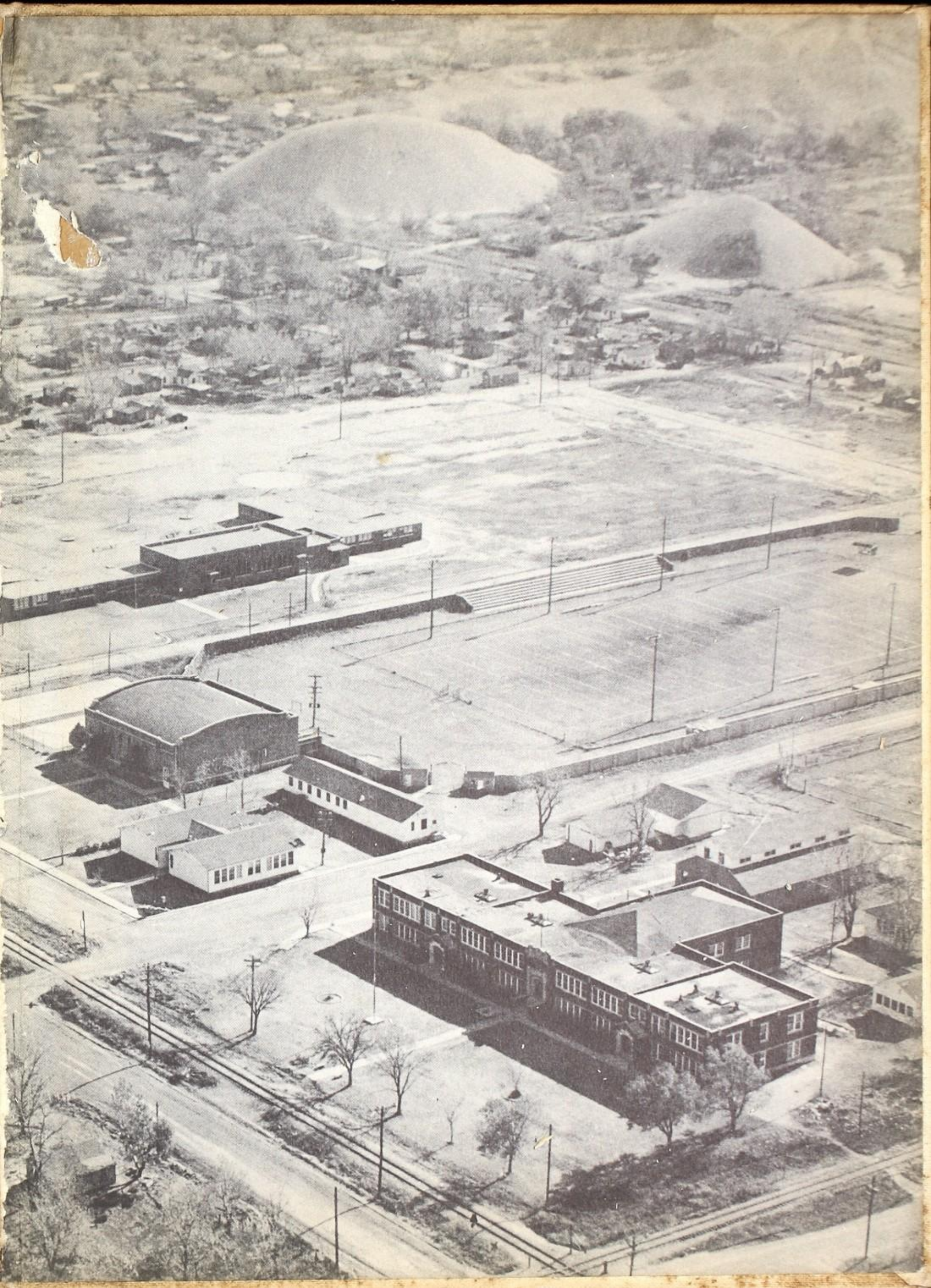

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